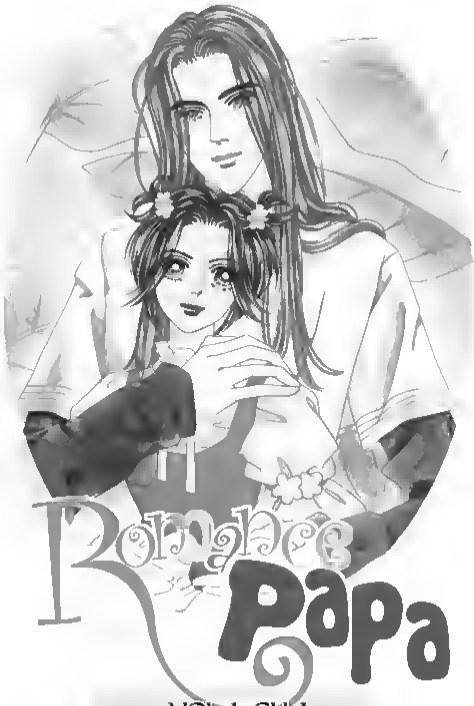

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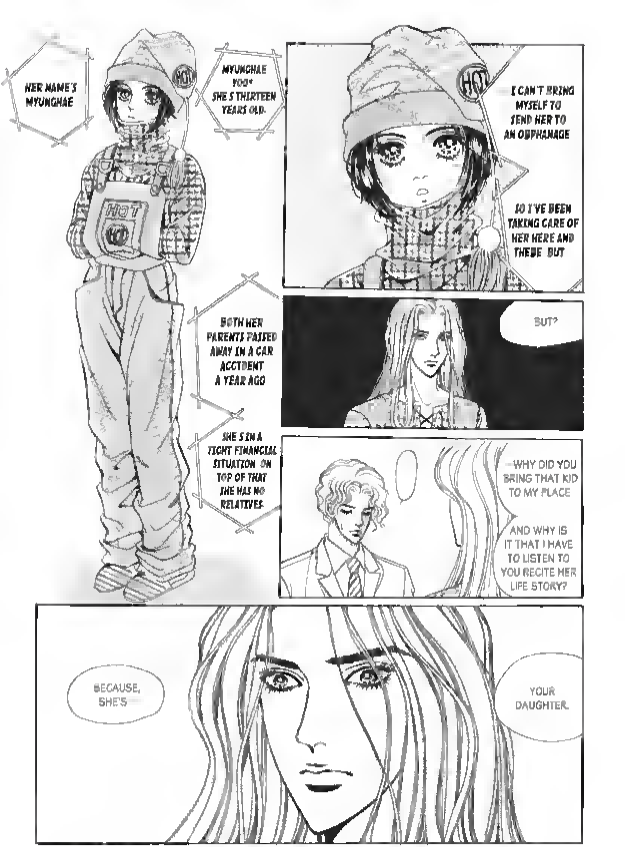
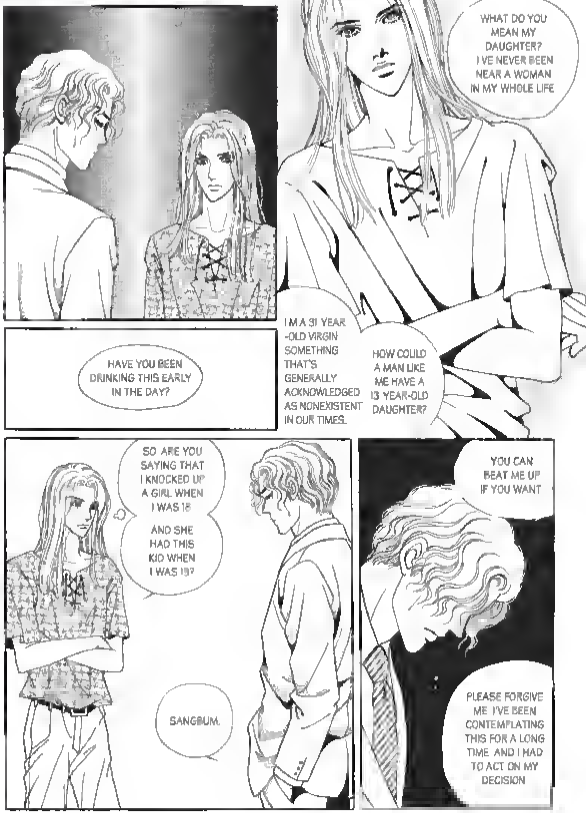

HER NAME'S MYUNGHAE
MYUNGHAE TODAY SHE'S THIRTEEN YEARS OLD.
BOTH HER PARENTS PASSED AWAY IN A CAR ACCIDENT A YEAR AGO
SHE'S IN A TIGHT FINANCIAL SITUATION ON TOP OF THAT SHE HAS NO RELATIVES.
I CAN'T BRING MYSELF TO SEND HER TO AN ORPHANAGE
SO I'VE BEEN TAKING CARE OF HER HERE AND THERE BUT
BUT?
—WHY DID YOU BRING THAT KID TO MY PLACE
AND WHY IS IT THAT I HAVE TO LISTEN TO YOU RECITE HER LIFE STORY?
BECAUSE, SHE'S
YOUR DAUGHTER.

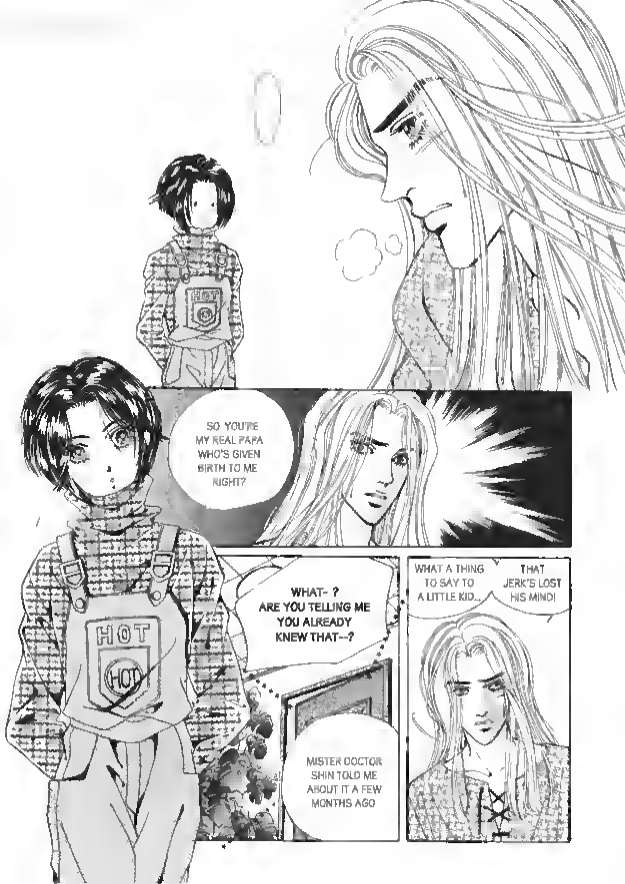
* WHEN PRONOUNCED IT RHYMES WITH THE WORD "FAMOUS"


WHAT DO YOU MEAN MY DAUGHTER? I'VE NEVER BEEN NEAR A WOMAN IN MY WHOLE LIFE
I'M A 31 YEAR-OLD VIRGIN SOMETHING THAT'S GENERALLY ACKNOWLEDGED AS NONEXISTENT IN OUR TIMES.
HOW COULD A MAN LIKE ME HAVE A 13 YEAR-OLD DAUGHTER?
HAVE YOU BEEN DRINKING THIS EARLY IN THE DAY?
SO ARE YOU SAYING THAT I KNOCKED UP A GIRL WHEN I WAS 18
AND SHE HAD THIS KID WHEN I WAS 19?
SANGBUM.
YOU CAN BEAT ME UP IF YOU WANT
PLEASE FORGIVE ME. I'VE BEEN CONTEMPLATING THIS FOR A LONG TIME, AND I HAD TO ACT ON MY DECISION

...REMEMBER WHEN WE WERE FRESHMEN IN COLLEGE...
WE DONATED OUR SPERM BECAUSE IT WAS REQUIRED OF MEDICAL STUDENTS
AFTER THE DONATION YOURS WERE THE FIRST TO BE "EXPORTED"...
BACK THEN MY FATHER WAS THE DIRECTOR OF THE OBGYN DEPARTMENT AND HE AND MYUNGHAE'S PARENTS HAPPENED TO KNOW EACH OTHER.
THAT'S HOW I'VE BEEN ABLE TO WATCH THIS KID ALL ALONG
FROM THE DAY SHE WAS CONCEIVED TO WHEN HER MOTHER GAVE BIRTH TO HER. UP UNTIL TODAY
BUT FORGET ALL THAT JUST LOOK AT HER. CAN'T YOU SEE THAT SHE BEARS AN UNCANNY RESEMBLANCE TO YOU?
WHAT~~? WHAT DID YOU SAY~?!!

TEK
MISTER
MISTER.
MISTER
DOCTOR
HYUN
WOOAAHHCK~!!
LOOKING AT THAT FACE OF YOURS THAT LOOKS EXACTLY LIKE MINE STARING BACK AT ME I THOUGHT MY HEART WAS GOING TO STOP
CA CAN'T BELIEVE THIS IS REAL IT'S WORSE THAN A NIGHTMARE

SHHF
DOCTOR SHIN LEFT THIS FOR YOU
WHAAAT~?! HE LEFT~?!
SO YOU REALLY'RE SHOCKED THAT'S HARDLY REASON FOR YOU TO PASS OUT YOU REALLY MUST BE A GERMOPHOBE ANYWAY I WON'T BE IN SEOUL FOR THE NEXT THREE DAYS ON ACCOUNT OF A SEMINAR
DOCTOR SHIN, YOU BASTARD~!!
YOU WON'T FIND ME EVEN IF YOU LOOK FOR ME LET'S TALK THREE DAYS FROM NOW


SO YOU'RE MY REAL PAPA WHO'S GIVEN BIRTH TO ME RIGHT?
WHAT- ? ARE YOU TELLING ME YOU ALREADY KNEW THAT--?
MISTER DOCTOR SHIN TOLD ME ABOUT IT A FEW MONTHS AGO
WHAT A THING TO SAY TO A LITTLE KID...
THAT JERK'S LOST HIS MIND!
HOT
HOT

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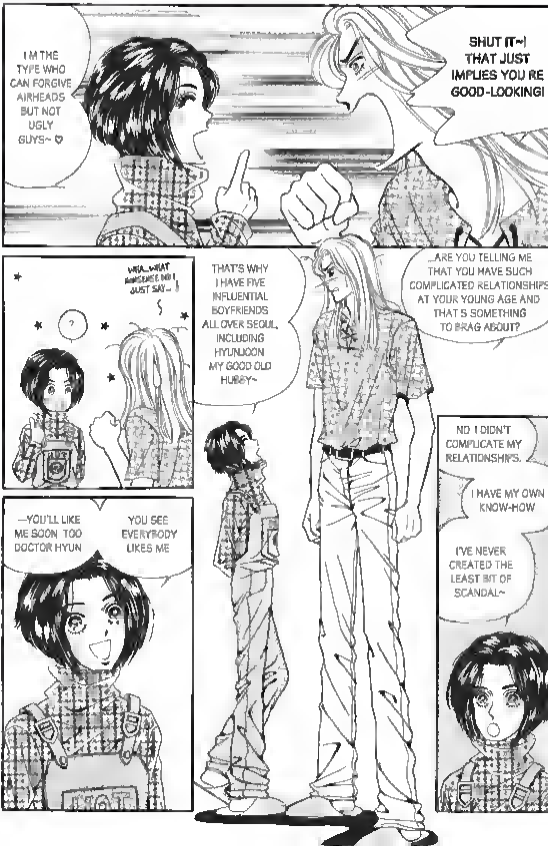
Youngran Lee
Papa

I'M NOT AS UTTLE AS YOU THINK.
PLUS, I WASN'T TOO SHOCKED BECAUSE HE EXPLAINED EVERYTHING SIMPLE, STEP BY STEP
...I LOVE THAT MAN. HE'S BEEN SO GOOD TO ME ♡ AND HE'S ALWAYS TREATED ME LIKE AN INTELLIGENT BEING.♡
HMPH! I BET HE USED ALL HIS PSYCHIATRIST'S 'COUCH-SIDE MANNER' ALL RIGHT
...UM, BY THE WAY
YOU'RE
MUUUCH BETTER-LOOKING THAN I IMAGINED!~ ♡
SO I'VE DECIDED TO ACCEPT YOU AS MY PAPA~ ♡


I'M THE TYPE WHO CAN FORGIVE AIRHEADS BUT NOT UGLY GUYS~ ♡
SHUT IT~! THAT JUST IMPLIES YOU'RE GOOD-LOOKING!
WHA...WHAT NONSENSE DID I JUST SAY~ !
?
THAT'S WHY I HAVE FIVE INFLUENTIAL BOYFRIENDS ALL OVER SEOUL, INCLUDING HYUNJOON MY GOOD OLD HUBBY~
...ARE YOU TELLING ME THAT YOU HAVE SUCH COMPLICATED RELATIONSHIPS AT YOUR YOUNG AGE AND THAT'S SOMETHING TO BRAG ABOUT?
NO ! DIDN'T COMPLICATE MY RELATIONSHIPS.
I HAVE MY OWN KNOW-HOW
I'VE NEVER CREATED THE LEAST BIT OF SCANDAL~
—YOU'LL LIKE ME SOON TOO DOCTOR HYUN
YOU SEE EVERYBODY LIKES ME

SHUSH. THAT'S NO WAY FOR A LITTLE GIRL TO TALK!
WAIT, WAIT. I CAN'T BELIEVE I'M ALL WORKED UP REACTING TO THIS CHILDISH CONVERSATION.
WE'RE TALKING ABOUT ME, THE WORLD'S MOST COOL HEADED INTELLECTUAL.
THREE DAYS. YOU'RE GOING TO SIT HERE QUIET AS A MOUSE— SO STILL I WON'T EVEN KNOW YOU'RE HERE AND THEN YOU'LL LEAVE EXACTLY THREE DAYS LATER. GOT IT?
HMPH!
BAM!
B— BUT I'VE NEVER MET ANYONE SO HANDSOME ♡
HE TAKES AFTER ME. THAT'S WHY OF COURSE~ ♡

STOP COPYING ME!!
BUT I HAVE AN OLD HABIT OF DRINKING WATER BEFORE I EAT
I TOLD YOU TO STOP COPYING ME
BUT I CAN'T HOLD CHOPSTICKS WELL WITH MY RIGHT HAND TO BEGIN WITH
THE SAME IS HERE.
GUK

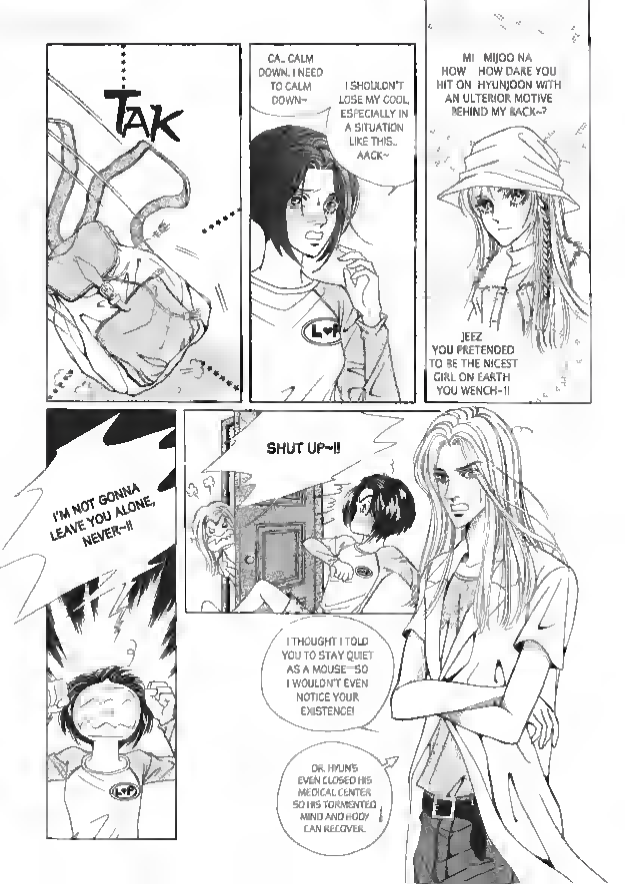
H... HOW ANNOYING...
THIS ANNOYS ME VERY MUCH

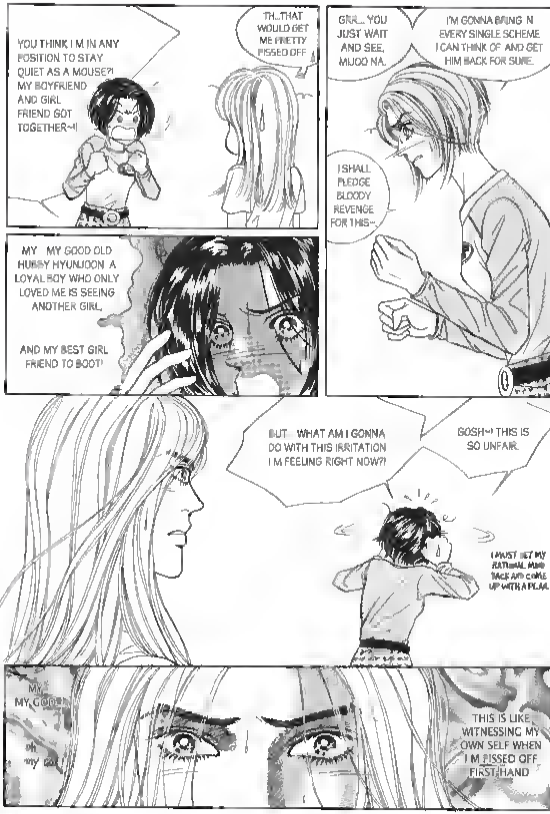
HYUNJOON'S NOT BEEN COMING TO SCHOOL RECENTLY?
OF COURSE HE HAS. HE'S A MODEL STUDENT~ I SAW HIM LEAVE A LITTLE WHILE AGO
THEN WHY HAS IT BEEN SO HARD FOR ME TO SEE HIM LATELY? HE USED TO COME BY MY CLASS EVERY SINGLE DAY
I'VE BEEN WANTING TO SPILL MY GUTS OUT TO HIM ABOUT MY PROBLEMS ESPECIALLY AFTER THE CHANGE IN MY PRIVATE LIFE.
HYUNJOON--.

WHERE HAVE YOU BEEN?
I'VE BEEN LOOKING FOR YOU FOREVER
WHE
SCRE
HYUNJOON, HYUNJOON KIM - WHAT'S WRONG WITH YOU?
HEY~ WAIT A SECOND! I SAID WAIT! HYUNJOON~
STRADDLE
YO! HYUNJOON KIM~!!

HYUNJOON~
MI
MIJOO~?
DID YOU WAIT LONG?
NO, NOT REALLY~

YOU DIDN'T KNOW THOSE TWO WERE GOING OUT? IT'S BEEN A WHILE~
ALL OF US THOUGHT YOU KNEW BUT DIDN'T CARE~
GUESS YOU COULDN'T HAVE KNOWN 'CAUSE YOU'VE BEEN BUSY CHANGING BOYFRIENDS WITH OTHER GUYS TOO.
WHA~, WHAT DID YOU SAY~?!!


TAK
CA.. CALM DOWN. I NEED TO CALM DOWN~
I SHOULDN'T LOSE MY COOL, ESPECIALLY IN A SITUATION LIKE THIS.. AACK~
MI MIJOO NA HOW HOW DARE YOU HIT ON HYUNJOON WITH AN ULTERIOR MOTIVE BEHIND MY BACK~?
JEEZ YOU PRETENDED TO BE THE NICEST GIRL ON EARTH YOU WENCH~!!
I'M NOT GONNA LEAVE YOU ALONE, NEVER~!!
SHUT UP~!!
I THOUGHT I TOLD YOU TO STAY QUIET AS A MOUSE~!! SO I WOULDN'T EVEN NOTICE YOUR EXISTENCE!
DR. HYUN'S EVEN CLOSED HIS MEDICAL CENTER SO HIS TORMENTED MIND AND BODY CAN RECOVER.


YOU THINK I M IN ANY POSITION TO STAY QUIET AS A MOUSE?! MY BOYFRIEND AND GIRL FRIEND GOT TOGETHER~!!
TH..THAT WOULD GET ME PRETTY PISSED OFF
GRR... YOU JUST WAIT AND SEE, MUGO NA.
I'M GONNA BRING N EVERY SINGLE SCHEME I CAN THINK OF AND GET HIM BACK FOR SURE.
I SHALL PLEDGE BLOODY REVENGE FOR THIS~.
MY MY GOOD OLD HUBBY HYUNJOON A LOYAL BOY WHO ONLY LOVED ME IS SEEING ANOTHER GIRL,
AND MY BEST GIRL FRIEND TO BOOT!
BUT WHAT AM I GONNA DO WITH THIS IRRITATION I M FEELING RIGHT NOW?!
GOSH~! THIS IS SO UNFAIR.
I MUST GET MY RATIONAL MIND BACK AND CAME UP WITH A PLAN.
MY MY GOOD...
OH my god
THIS IS LIKE WITNESSING MY OWN SELF WHEN I M PISSED OFF FIRSTHAND

WE'VE NEVER MET EACH OTHER, NOT EVEN ONCE, SO HOW COULD WE BE SO MUCH ALIKE?
STRANGE IT'S REALLY A MYSTERY
OH MY~ PRESIDENT SHIN IT'S BEEN A WHILE SINCE YOU'VE VISITED US
WHAT BRINGS YOU HERE MOTHER?
IS THIS THE KID? THE GIRL YOU GAVE BIRTH TO BY ?
HOW DID YOU KNOW THAT?

DR. SHIN CALLED ME.
I WAS SO DUMBFOUNDED THAT I DROPPED ALL MY ENGAGEMENTS AND RAN HERE
DR. SHIN YOU BASTARD!
DEAR GOD~ THEY SAY YOU CAN'T SWIPE SOMEONE ELSE'S SEED. SHE'S A CARBON COPY OF HER FATHER WHEN HE WAS YOUNG. A COMPLETE CARBON COPY.
SO YOU MEAN YOU'RE MY GRAND DAUGHTER, YES~?♡
GRAND!
MOTHER, THIS COMIC'S FOR KIDS. PLEASE REFRAIN FROM USING THOSE PROVOCATIVE WORDS

TSK TSK IT LOOKS LIKE YOU'VE GOTTEN YOUR FATHER'S GENES IN THEIR ENTIRETY HOWEVER YOU MUST MAKE SURE NOT TO TAKE AFTER HIS TEMPER ALSO~
MOTHER~!!
YOU SEE, THAT GUY'S HAS THE WORST TEMPER IN THE WHOLE WORLD!!
YOUR SON IS ABOUT TO BECOME A SINGLE FATHER.
ISN'T IT ONLY RIGHT FOR YOU TO BE CRYING YOUR HEART OUT AT THIS TRAGIC REALITY?
WELL, WHY DO I NEED TO CRY MY HEART OUT? WHY? FOR WHAT REASON?
Or?
YOU WEREN'T MEANT FOR GETTING HITCHED FROM THE VERY BEGINNING ANYWAY
TH..THAT'S BECAUSE I CAN'T STAND WOMEN AND KIDS THE MOST WHY ARE YOU BRINGING THAT UP WHEN YOU KNOW IT SO WELL~?
YOU DON'T JUST HATE WOMEN AND KIDS. I BET EVERY LIVING THING IN THIS WORLD IS TRIVIAL AND PATHETIC IN YOUR EYES! YOU AND YOUR IMPUDENT SUPERIORITY COMPLEX~
YOU'RE A COLD HEARTED BASTARD WHO DENIED YOUR FATHER OF HIS DYING WISH
OF SEEING HIS DAUGHTER-IN-LAW

YOU LIVE WITH YOUR GRANNY IF DR. HYUN DOESN'T WANT YOU
HMPH
MOTHER~!
I'M GOING TO NEED TO MEET WITH ATTORNEY PARK.
I'LL NEED TO CONSULT HIM ABOUT ADDING YOU TO OUR FAMILY RECORDS FIRST~
TH
I HEARD YOU WENT BY THE LAST NAME YOO. NOW YOU LL BE MYUNGHAE HYUN!
THAT S MUCH NICER, DON'T YOU THINK?
I'LL NEVER ALLOW IT!!!
FAMILY RECORD, NO WAY~!
WHAT KIND OF ABSURD CASE IS THIS~?!!

WHY DO I NEED TO TAKE THAT MUCH RESPONSIBILITY--- ADDING HER TO MY RECORDS?
I DIDN'T DO ANYTHING TO BE LIABLE FOR THIS SORT OF RESPONSIBILITY!
SO THERE'S NO WAY I'LL ACKNOWLEDGE OR ACCEPT THIS KID!
I'M GOING TO TELL THAT JERK DR. SHIN TO TAKE HER AWAY RIGHT NOW
I DON'T CARE IF THAT MORON TAKES CARE OF HER OR SENDS HER TO AN ORPHANAGE=II

WE'RE A CARBON COPY OF EACH OTHER!!
DKNY

SLAP
WHAT ARE YOU DOING IN FRONT OF A CHILD ?

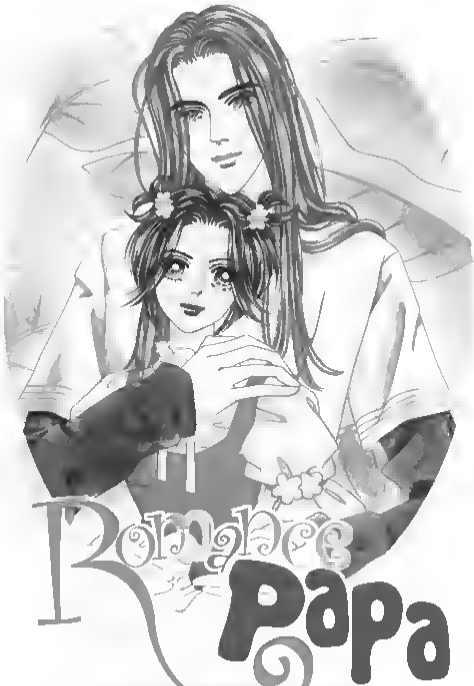
I'M GONNA GO BACK TO MY OLD PLACE
I I'M GONNA LEAVE NOW I'LL EXPLAIN TO DR. SHIN WHAT HAPPENED
MYUNG-HAE~II

I LIVED ALL BY MYSELF FOR A YEAR AFTER MOM AND DAD PASSED AWAY
BUT, IF THAT MEANIE IS MY DAD, I DON'T WANT HIM EITHER--!!
SO HONESTLY WHEN DR. SHIN TOLD ME THAT I ALSO HAD A DAD I WAS HAPPY MORE THAN SHOCKED
BUT BUT

WHERE THE HELL DID SHE GO? SHE'S SO DAMN FAST FOR A LITTLE GIRL
SHE TAKES AFTER ME. EVEN IN THAT TOO DAMN—
OH-!
HEY--, YOU~. STOP THERE~!
SCREECH

N--NO!
NO--!!

BASH
WOOSH
KYAAACK--!!
SCREEEECH



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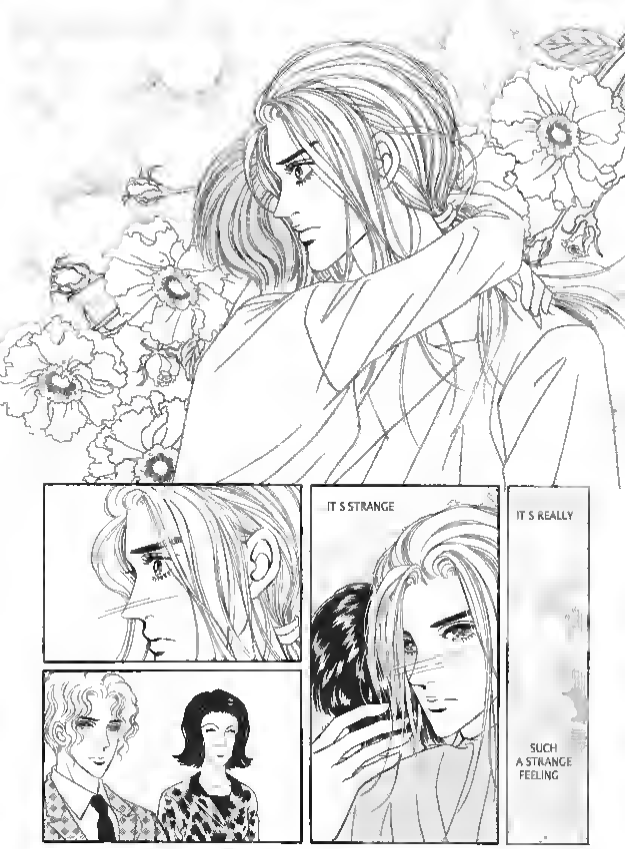
SOMEONE GOT RUN OVER--!!
GOSH. HOW CAN ANYONE DRIVE AT THAT SPEED IN A RESIDENTIAL AREA--?! WHAT, IS HE MENTAL~?!
SOMEBODY CONTACT THE HOSPITAL AND THE POLICE, QUICK -!
BLOCK THE CAR SO THE DRIVER WON'T BE ABLE TO HIT AND RUN--! MEMORIZE THE PLATE NUMBER--!
D

D AD
WHY
HOSPITAL
HOT

WHY ON EARTH DID YOU DRAG ME HERE, WHEN I SAID I WAS PERFECTLY FINE?
STILL, YOU WERE IN A CAR ACCIDENT YOU KNOW~ BRUISES ARE A VERY SCARY THING
IS THIS THE VENUE WHERE THEY HELD THE SEMINAR YOU WERE ATTENDING?
HUH...?
I'M TELLING YOU~ THE CAR STOPPED AN INCH AWAY FROM ME. (WHY CAN'T YOU BELIEVE ME?)
I THOUGHT I WAS HIT SO I FAINTED FOR A MOMENT. BUT THEN I SAW THAT I DIDN'T EVEN GET A BRUISE. (SO EMBARRASSING)
CAUSE I PUSHED HER
IF ANYTHING, SHE WAS PROBABLY HURT MORE THAN ME.
ARE YOU ALRIGHT?

YOU DON'T NEED TO LOOK ALL TOUCHED
EVEN IF IT WEREN'T YOU I WOULD'VE DONE THE SAME THING.
I DON'T LIKE GIRLS, BUT I CAN'T STAND SOMEONE GETTING HURT MORE.
HMPH
...BUT...
AHEM
IT'S DEFINITELY MY FAULT FOR SAYING THOSE MEAN THINGS EARLIER TODAY
I CAN'T BELIEVE THAT JANE'S APOLOGIZING FOR SOMETHING. HOW DO SHE THAT IN MY LITTLE LIFE.
THAT'S A MIRACLE...


IT S STRANGE
IT S REALLY
SUCH
A STRANGE
FEELING

FRANKLY I FELT STRANGE SINCE THE MOMENT I SAW THAT KID
I CAN'T REALLY EXPLAIN IT IN WORDS BUT
HOSPITAL
I DON'T UNDERSTAND AND I M SHOCKED TO BE FEELING THIS WAY
THAT'S WHAT'S CALLED LINEAGE AND INSTICT
NO NEED FOR YOU TO BE OVERWHELMED
...WHAT DOES IT MEAN. TO BE A PARENT?
WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE SOMEONE'S FATHER AND HOW THE HELL DO YOU...
IT'S SAID THAT DYING LEAVING YOUR YOUNG CHILDREN IS EVEN A SIN.
THAT'S HOW MUCH A CHILD MEANS TO A PARENT SOME INDESCRIBABLE THING THAT'S MORE VALUABL THAN I R OWN LIFE

IF YOU'VE BEEN LIVING YOUR LIFE ONLY FOR YOURSELF UNTIL NOW
YOU'LL HAVE TO MAKE HER YOUR PRIORITY FROM HOW ON
YOU HAVE TO COME TO SEE ME OFTEN
EVEN YOU WILL LEARN HOW GREAT A JOY IT IS TO LOVE AND BRING UP A CHILD
OF COURSE~
AN IMPORTANT THING YOU SHOULD BEAR IN MIND THAT YOUR CHILDREN ARE NOT MERE DOLLS BUT ARE INDIVIDUALS WITH INTELLECT
THERE ARE QUITE MANY PARENTS WHO ARE CONFUSED ABOUT THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN LOVE AND BENEVOLENT
...YOU MEAN LIKE HOW YOU USED TO BE?
GOSH~ YOU'RE SAYING SOMETHING USEFUL FOR THE FIRST TIME IN YOUR LIFE~
WOW~ MAYBE YOU'LL REALLY GROW UP NOW THAT YOU'VE ACQUIRED A CHILD, HUH?
GOODNESS~ THE MORE I LOOK AT HER THE MORE SHE LOOKS LIKE YOU AND SHE'S NOT EVEN A BOY~
I TRULY HOPE PEOPLE DON'T CALL HER A "STUD" WHEN SHE GROWS UP
GOOD BYE, MISTER! ♡

* THE SIGNS READ "BIG BARGAIN SALE ON SPRING COLLECTIONS" AND "BACK TO SCHOOL COLLECTIONS"

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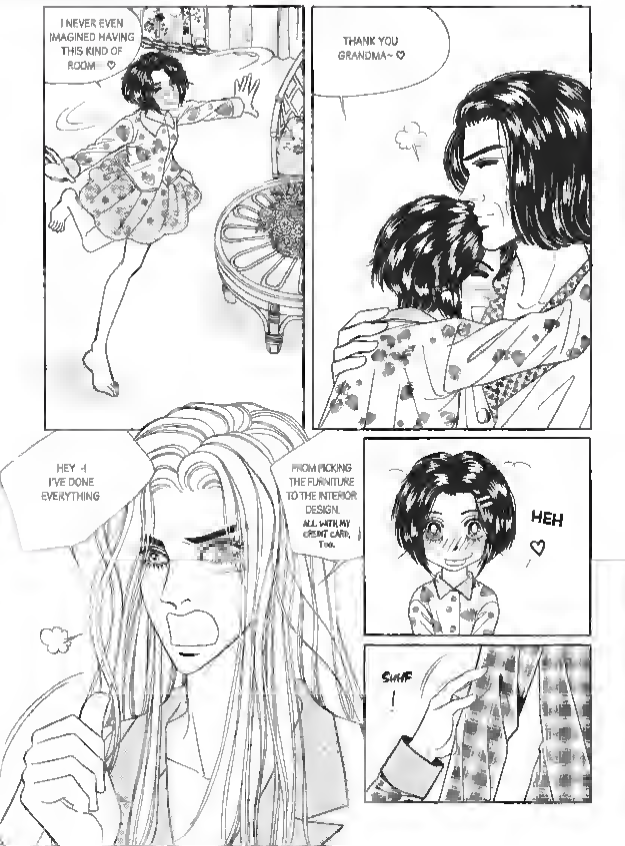
Youngran Lee
Papa

TEE HEE♡
HOT
EVERYTHING'S SO SO PRETTY*♡
OMGOD OMGOD I'M IN HEAVEN*♡

CAN'T BELIEVE I'M ACTUALLY DOING THIS IN REAL LIFE.
TH...THESE ARE MAD EXPENSIVE.
THIS IS THE MOST EXCITING DAY IN MY LIFE. I FEEL LIKE I'M DREAMING~ ♡
I DOUBT YOU'RE MORE EXCITED THAN YOUR GRANNY IS, SWEETHEART
MMBUH WHAMMI
NOW I'M GONNA DECORATE MY ROOM AND MAKE IT PRETTY ♡

YOUR ROOM'S ON THE SECOND FLOOR.
THE ROOM YOU'VE BEEN USING WAS ACTUALLY A GUEST ROOM
I'VE MADE YOU A ROOM UPSTAIRS SO USE THE ENTIRE SECOND FLOOR FROM NOW ON.
SHHF
WHAT ARE YOU DOING? THAT S SO CHILDISH
OKAY--
TADAI

WHOA~!
IT'S PRETTY
IT'S SO COOL—
I'VE NEVER SEEN
A ROOM LIKE THIS
IT'S LIKE
A PRINCESS'S
ROOM.
YAHOO~ ♡
IT WAS
MY DREAM TO
HAVE MY OWN
ROOM~
THIS REALLY
ISN'T A DREAM,
RIGHT~?


I NEVER EVEN IMAGINED HAVING THIS KIND OF ROOM!! ♡
WHA
THANK YOU GRANDMA~ ♡
HEY ~! I'VE DONE EVERYTHING
FROM PICKING THE FURNITURE TO THE INTERIOR DESIGN. ALL WITH MY CREDIT CARD, TOO.
HEH ♡
SNIFF !

THANK YOU PAPA.♡
THE BATHROOM'S RIGHT NEXT TO HERE~ ♡ OH THERE'S ANOTHER ROOM HERE~♡
YOU MUST BE HAPPY TO HAVE A REASON TO SPEND YOUR MONEY
YOU'RE JUST A RICH PLASTIC SURGEON WHO NEVER HAD ANYTHING TO SPEND HIS MONEY ON, FRUITY!

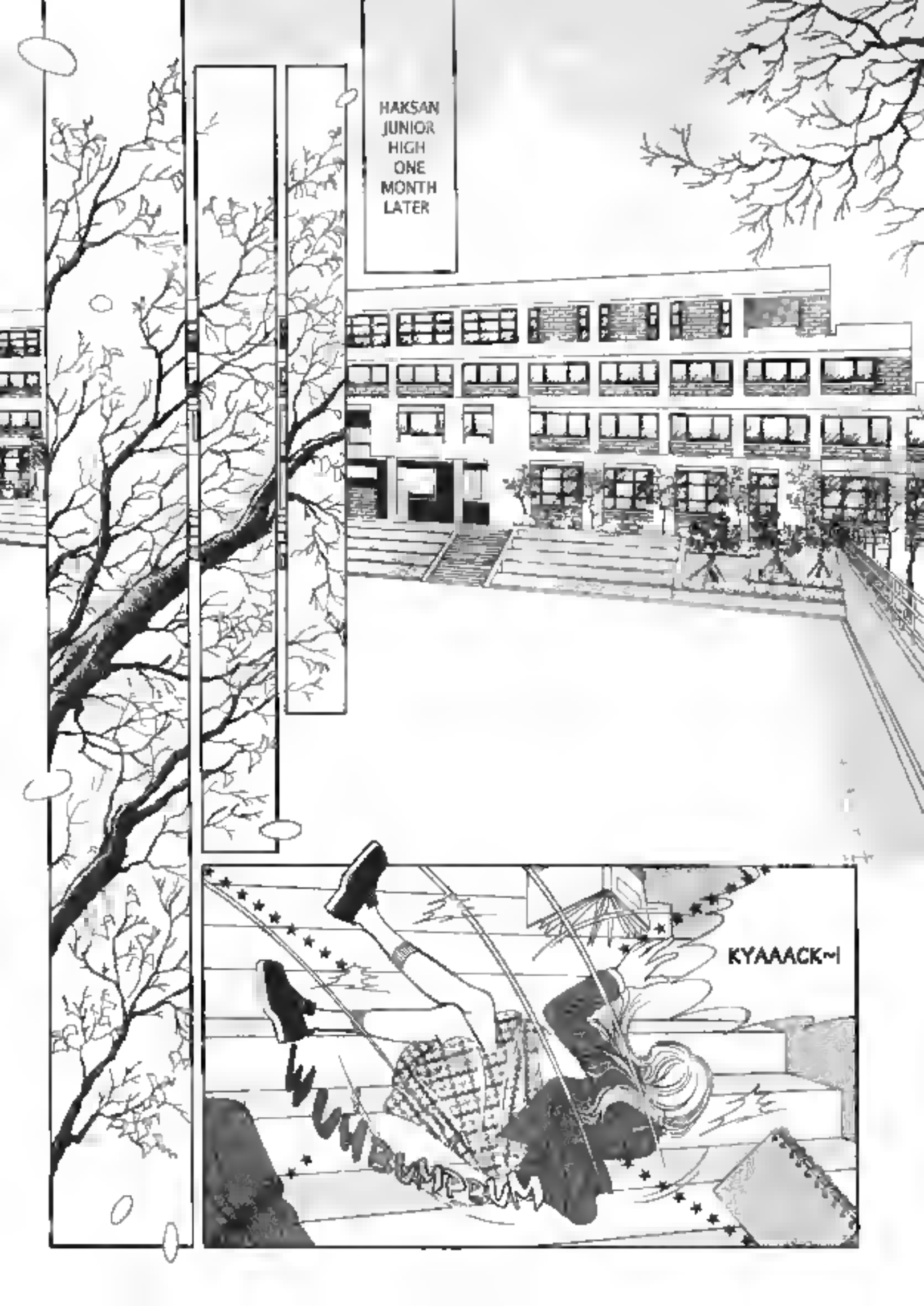
REALLY I'LL DO IT~
WHAT'S A LITTLE KID LIKE YOU KNOW ABOUT COOKING?
THE HOUSEKEEPER'S LEFT FOR THE DAY AND WE'RE HUNGRY SO I'LL HAVE TO MAKE YOUR SAUCE...
I ALWAYS COOKED DINNER BECAUSE MOM AND DAD CAME BACK HOM LATE FROM THE MARKET YOU KNOW
PROUD
ACCK!
I CUT MY FINGER!!
YOU SEE? GOSH~!
YOU'VE WORKED SO HARD UNTIL NOW. SO YOU SHOULDN'T HAVE TO ANYMORE NOW

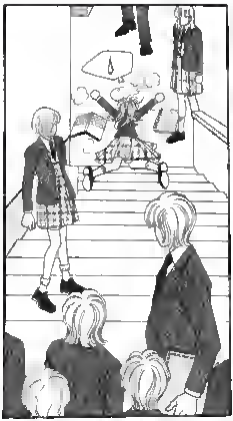
YUMMY! I NURSE-KUN* AS NIGHTTIME SNACK♡
CHOMP CHOMP
GIRLS THESE DAYS EXPERIENCE THEIR FIRST PERIOD AT AN EARLIER AGE. HUHH HUHH, HUHH
OH RIGHT YOU MUST HAVE STARTED YOURS ALREADY TOO.
CHOMP CHOMP
!
EH? STARTED WHAT?!
YIKES!
I M TALKING TO A SENSITIVE PUBESCENT TEENAGER
IT'S ALL BECAUSE I WORK AS A DOCTOR, AND I'VE ALWAYS BEEN INSENSITIVE...
* FOOT NOTE

AH.. UM WE
WELL.. I MEAN
THE THING YOU DO...
ONCE A MONTH...
ONCE
A MONTH?
YOU MEAN
TAKING
A BATH?
TROUBLE
YOU TRANS
YOU... TAKE
YOUR BATHS ONCE
EVERY MONTH?
UH HUH!
NOD
KLONK!
MY
MY GOD...

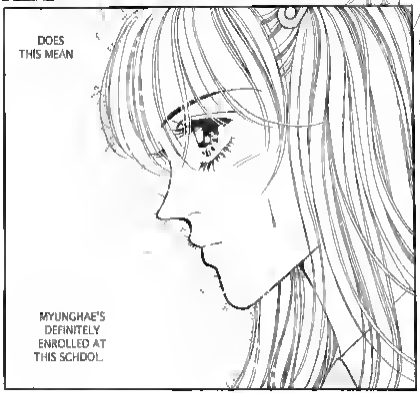
MAKE SURE YOU TAKE ONE EVERYDAY, STARTING TODAY~!!
AW~
THAT'S TOO MUCH WORK.
WHAT DO YOU MEAN, TOO MUCH WORK~!! SHEESH~!
HERE! TOWEL, SOAP, SHAMPOO, CONDITIONER!
HMM~ THE ROAD TO BEING A TAD REALLY IS LONG AND HARD.
CLOP
DON'T EVEN THINK ABOUT LEAVING THE BATHROOM FOR THE NEXT TWO HOURS~!
BAM!

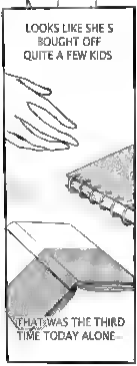
WHAT ARE YOU DOING MYUNGHAE~? YOU'RE GOING TO BE LATE FOR THE ORIENTATION
COMING~
TADA
FROM TODAY I'M IN JUNIOR HIGH!
OKAY, MY "PRIVATE" LIFE IS SETTLED NOW
MUOO NA JUST WAIT AND WATCH, YOU WENCH
HYUNJOON KIM! I'LL MAKE YOU MINE AGAIN FOR SURE~!
HOW DARE A NOBODY LIKE YOU SNATCH WHAT'S MINE WHEN I'M RIGHT HERE AND KICKING?


HAKSAN JUNIOR HIGH ONE MONTH LATER
KYAAACK~!
WWBUMPBUM



I'M SURE
AHHH! THAT WAS EMBARRASSING...
SOMEONE TRIPPED MY LEG


DOES THIS MEAN
MYUNGHAE'S DEFINITELY ENROLLED AT THIS SCHOOL.


LOOKS LIKE SHE S BOUGHT OFF QUITE A FEW KIDS
THAT WAS THE THIRD TIME TODAY ALONE...

MYUNGHAE'S PHILOSOPHY OF REVENGE!
NEVER COME NEAR THE PERSON YOU'RE TORTURING
MAKE A STRONG IMPRESSION BUT NEVER LEAVE MATERIAL EVIDENCE.
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THIS WAY, THE VICTIM CAN'T CONFIDE IN ANYONE! EVEN IF HE OR SHE DOES, THEY'LL JUST BE A LAUGHING STOCK BECAUSE THEY ONLY HAVE IMPRESSIONS
MY MATH HOMEWORK'S GO
English

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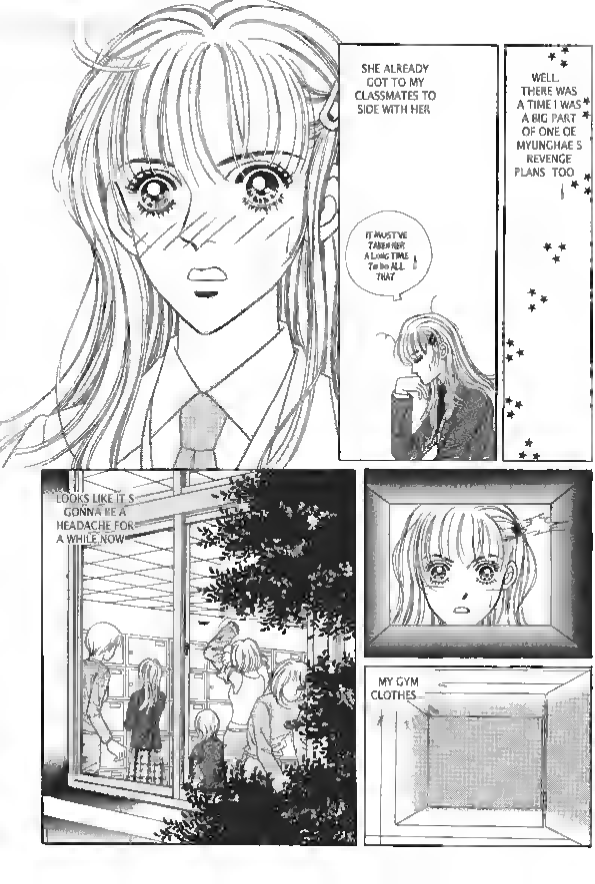
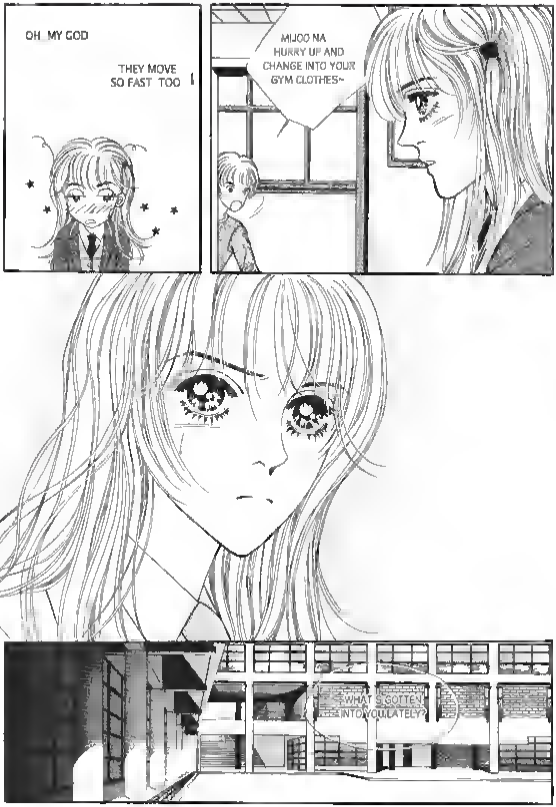
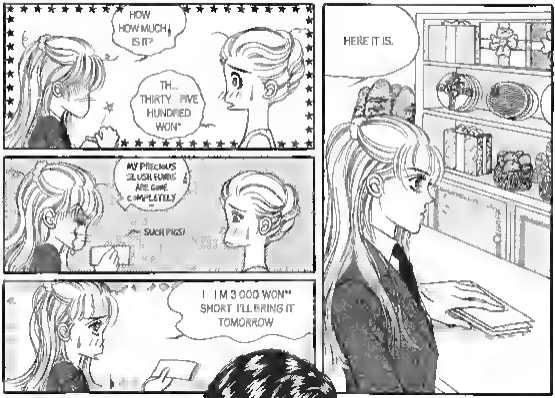

SHE ALREADY GOT TO MY CLASSMATES TO SIDE WITH HER
IT MUST'VE TAKEN HER A LONG TIME To Do ALL THAT
WELL, THERE WAS A TIME I WAS A BIG PART OF ONE OF MYUNGHAE'S REVENGE PLANS TOO.
LOOKS LIKE IT'S GONNA BE A HEADACHE FOR A WHILE NOW.
MY GYM CLOTHES...


OH MY GOD
THEY MOVE SO FAST TOO !
MIJOO NA HURRY UP AND CHANGE INTO YOUR GYM CLOTHES~
WHAT'S GOTTEN INTO YOU LATELY?

YOU KEEP MAKING MISTAKES IN EVERY SINGLE THING~
ON TOP OF THAT I'VE BEEN INFORMED BY OTHER TEACHERS THAT YOU HARDLY DO ANY OF YOUR HOMEWORK ASSIGNMENTS.
AND NOW YOU'VE EVEN LOST THE CLASS KEY~?
I'VE ALWAYS CONSIDERED YOU A RESERVED MODEL STUDENT. HAVE I BEEN WRONG?
I'M SORRY
MYUNGHAE, YOU~!
YOU WITCH~!!

EH? MY TAB ? FOR PASTRIES. ?
Molinelli
BUT I'VE NEVER RUN UP A TAB.
YOU KNOW THAT... GIRL WITH SHORT HAIR? SHE BROUGHT A BUNCH OF HER FRIENDS AND ATE HERE...
YOU GUYS ARE CLOSE FRIENDS, RIGHT? YOU?
...I LET THEM EAT SINCE YOU GUYS ARE REGULARS, AND SHE EVEN LEFT YOUR SCHOOL I.D. WITH ME.
MY SCHOOL I.D.! I HAD LOST IT!
BRRR
I LOSE!



*APPROXIMATELY 35 U.S. DOLLARS
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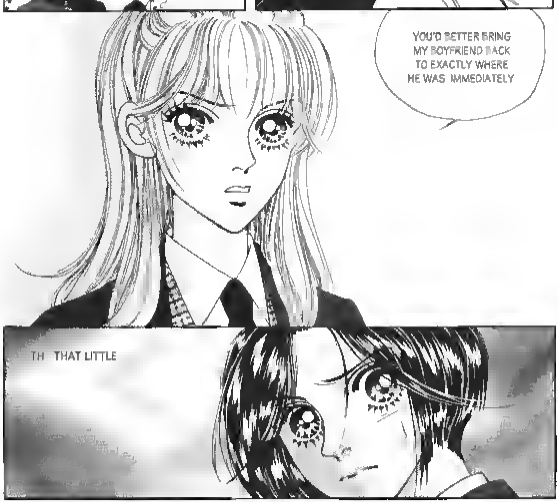
...IT'S ALREADY BEEN THREE DAYS IT'S DRIVING ME NUTS~
NO WAY~ WHY WOULD MYUNGHAE ALL OF A SUDDEN BE THAT WAY AFTER BEING SO QUIET ALL THIS TIME?
PLUS, I HAVEN'T SEEN HER AT ALL.
...I KNOW HER BETTER THAN YOU DO
SHE USED TO BE MY BEST FRIEND
DO YOU HONESTLY THINK YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO CALL ME THAT?

HEY--, HYUNJOON KIM!
I'LL ONLY SAY THIS ONCE. COME OUTSIDE WITH ME THIS MINUTE!
SEEING THEM STUCK TO EACH OTHER PISSES ME OFF ALL OVER AGAIN, LIKE IT'S THE FIRST TIME.
I DON'T THINK-- I CAN DO THAT--;

--WHAT?
I SAID NO
STOMP
STOMP
STOMP
AIIEE~!!



* GENERALLY, THE YOUNGER KOREANS CONSIDER SMALLER FACETS TO BE MORE PLEASING TO THE EYE

HOW DARE SHE POKE FUN AT MY WORST COMPLEX!
YOUR BOYFRIEND MY BUTT~
Moon-faced girl.
LOOK WHO'S TALKING? THE MIDGE HERSELF!
(How dare you!)
HER NICKNAME: MIDGE
DID MY KNEE GET CRUSHED? DID IT GET RUINED?
HMPH!
OF COURSE. I KNEW YOU WERE GONNA SAY THAT
BUT
HMPH!
I STILL HAVE A MUUUCH SMALLER FACE THAN YOU DO!
TSK
YOUR FACE HAS THE SQUARE-FOOTAGE OF CENTRAL PARK!
BRRR

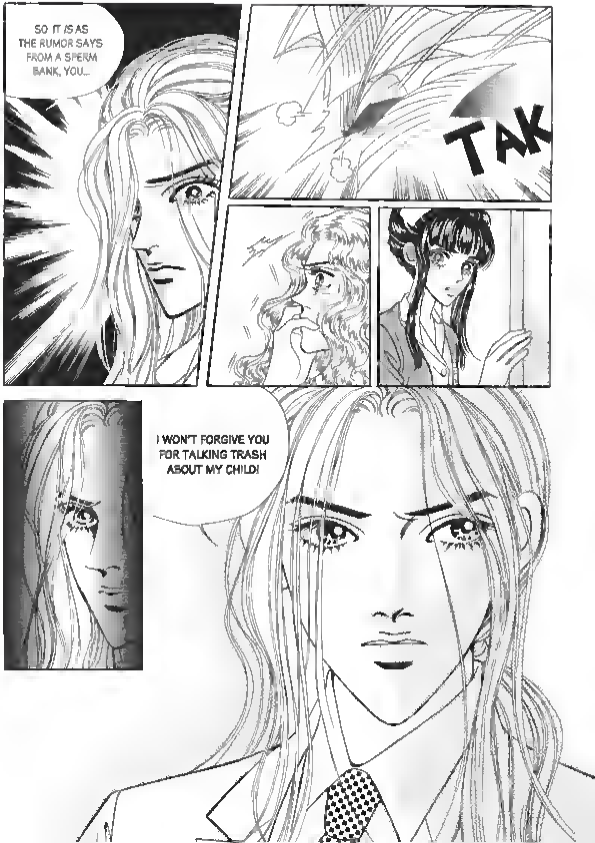
WOW~
THAT'S PRETTY UNCONVENTIONAL CONSIDERING IT'S FROM MISS MIDGE HERSELF
I GUESS EVEN THE COWARD MIDGE BECOMES ALL BRAVE WHEN IT COMES TO HER MAN HUH~?!
OR, MAYBE SHE'S BEEN FAKING IT LIKE A PRO AND NOW SHE'S SHOWING HER TRUE COLORS
THAT SOUNDS LIKE YOU'RE ADMITTING THAT I'M A LEVEL ABOVE YOU
LET'S CALL IT YOUR ADMISSION OF YOUR OWN STUPIDITY TOO!
TH
THIS WENCH
HAD THIS KIND OF SIDE TO HER?
PANICK
-ED
AND YOUR IMPOSSIBLY CHILDISH WARNING NOTE!

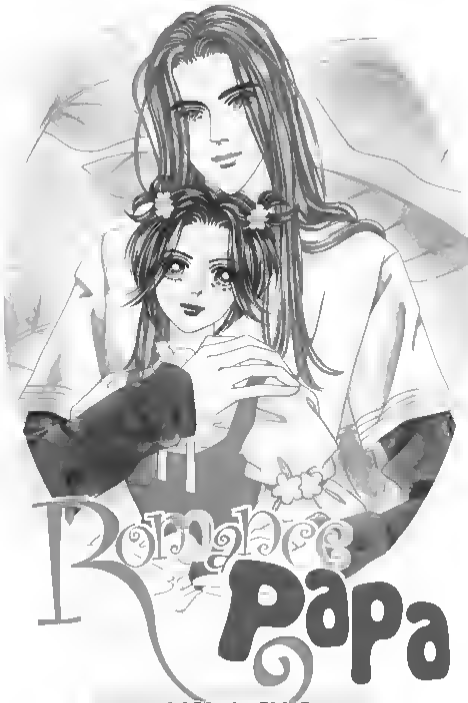
GOSH, YOU HAVEN'T CHANGED A BIT, HAVE YOU~?
YOUR OLD AND TIRED TECHNIQUE...
OF COURSE IF YOU'D TARGETED ANY OTHER KID SHE'D BE PISSED AT BEING TREATED LIKE THAT
BUT I WOULDN'T NEED TO DO THAT WOULD I?
I JUST LAUGHED AT YOUR OVERUSED GRAMMAR SCHOOL TRICK
IS SHE REALLY MIJOO NA?
CAN'T BELIEVE I'M LOSING HERE AT A VERBAL FIGHT—
WHAT HAPPENED TO ALL YOUR COUNTLESS "LOVERS" TODAY? WHY DO YOU HAVE SO MUCH TIME ON YOUR HANDS?
I DOUBT YOU'D HAVE TIME TO BE DOING THIS IF YOU WERE TO ATTEND TO ALL OF THEM.
I GOT OVER EVERYTHING IN MY PAST BEFORE I STARTED JUNIOR HIGH
AND OF COURSE, I PLAN NOT TO LOOK AT ANYONE ELSE BUT HYUNJOON FROM NOW ON!

HYUNJOON'S FORCING HIMSELF TO "CHEAT" ON ME SO THAT HE CAN HEAR ME SAY THIS AND YOU'RE JUST A SCAPEGOAT...
I'M SURE YOU CAUGHT UP THAT FAR RIGHT?
GOODNESS!
SWISH
THAT GUY'S REAL GOOD LOOKING—!
"NOTHING"

YOU~~~~
(HOW DARE YOU MANIPULATE MY WEAKNESS SO WELL...)
WHRL
WH WHY AM I STILL HERE?
LIKE AS IF...
I JUST DEFEATED YOU ON POINTS IN THE 2ND ROUND YOU ACKNOWLEDGE DON'T YOU~?
HOW HOW COME MY ENEMY KNOWS ME SO WELL BUT I M COMPLETELY CONFUSED ABOUT MY ENEMY?
I MUST WORK ON MY SCHEMES AGAIN !
EASTEAK

DOCTOR, I HEARD YOU HAVE A KID NOW
A 14-YEAR-OLD KID IN JUNIOR HIGH AT THAT TOO
COSMETOLOGY
IS THAT REALLY TRUE?
I'M HAVING A REALLY HARD TIME BELIEVING IT
YOU REALLY CAN'T STAND WOMEN, CAN YOU?
A MODEL WHO'S BECAME PRETTY AFTER SHE UNDERWENT A FEW OPERATIONS
FLIP
PLUS YOU'RE SERIOUSLY GERMOPHOBIC


SO IT IS AS THE RUMOR SAYS FROM A SPERM BANK, YOU...
TAK
I WON'T FORGIVE YOU FOR TALKING TRASH ABOUT MY CHILD!



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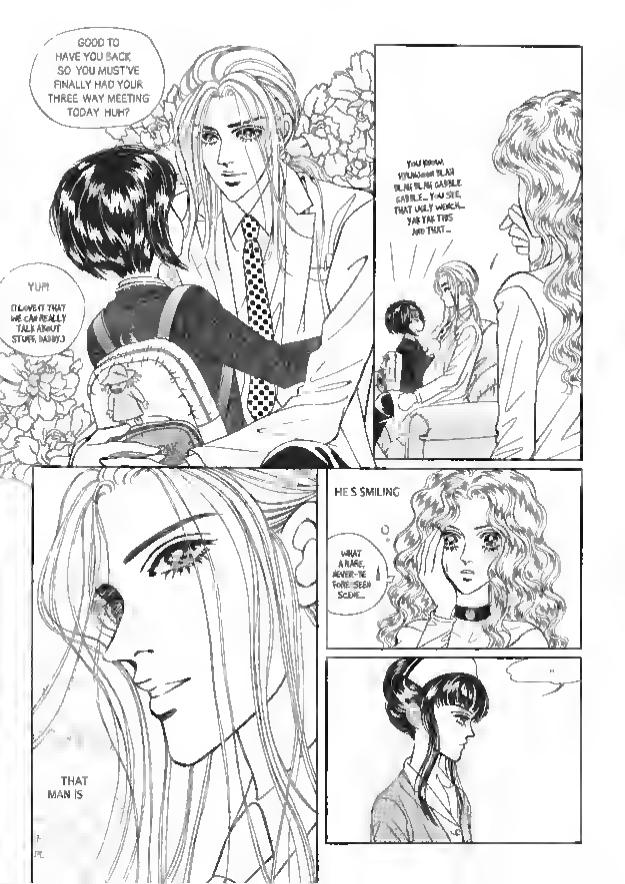
FLIP
HUFF~, HUFF~.
WHAM!
I'M BACK~ ♡


GOOD TO HAVE YOU BACK. SO YOU MUST'VE FINALLY HAD YOUR THREE WAY MEETING TODAY, HUH?
YUP!
I LOVE IT THAT WE CAN REALLY TALK ABOUT STUFF, BABY.)
YOU KNOW, SYLVANIAN BLAH BLAH BLAH GABBLE GABBLE... Y-U-C-K. THAT UGLY WITCH... YAK YAK THIS AND THAT...
HE'S SMILING
WHAT A RARE, NEVER-BE FORE-SEEN SCENE...
THAT MAN IS

STOMP
ZZ
ZRRAKKA

YOU AND I ARE THROUGH AND YOU ARE MY LIFE LONG ENEMY FROM NOW ON.
I CAN'T FIND ANY WORDS TO DESCRIBE HOW DISGRACED I AM TO ADMIT THAT WE WERE ONCE BEST FRIENDS
I ALREADY CALLED IT OFF ABOUT YOU AND ME
WHEN I STARTED TO GO OUT WITH HYUNJOON
ARGH!
WHAT A JENNY-COME-LATELY!!
WHOA... MIOGE NA NOT BAD NOT BAD AT ALL~
AMAZING HOW YOU CAN BE SO PROUD NO GUILTY CONSCIENCE WHATSOEVER~
WHAT, WHAT DID I DO?
I LIKED HYUNJOON EVEN BEFORE YOU KNEW HIM~

TH THAT MEANS YOU PRETENDED TO BE MY FRIEND
ACTING LIKE YOU WERE THE MOST INNOCENT AND ANGELIC PERSON ON EARTH!
HIDING THAT DARK ULTERIOR MOTIVE AND CONSTANTLY LOOKING FOR AN OPPORTUNITY
THAT'S WHY I'M A CUT ABOVE YOU
B R R
B R R
YOU~ YOU~ MIDGE NA~!
THE MORE I THINK ABOUT IT THE MORE IT LOOKS FUNNY TO ME~
YOU LOOKED FOR HYUNJOON ONLY WHEN YOU NEEDED HIM. YOU WEREN'T USUALLY INTERESTED IN HIM, ANYWAY
YOU WERE ONLY INTERESTED IN GETTING MORE GOOD LOOKING BOYFRIENDS
AND, I CAN EASILY SEE HOW LOVEY-DOVEY YOU WERE WITH THEM
THEN WHY IS IT THAT I SHOULD FEEL GUILTY ABOUT THIS HUH?
I CAN'T BELIEVE HAVING MY EX BEST FRIEND AS MY ENEMY COULD BE SUCH A FATAL BLUNDER
I'M SO IRRITATED THAT I TOLD HER EVERY SINGLE DETAIL OF MY LIFE

WE'RE A PERFECT COUPLE. WE GO SO WELL WITH EACH OTHER IN EVERYTHING.
OUR HOBBIES, PERSONALITIES, EVEN THE THINGS WE'RE BOTH GOOD AT
DO YOU KNOW HOW MUCH HYUNJOON LIKES ME?
TH THAT LITTLE, SHE KNOWS EXACTLY HOW TO PISS ME OFF.
I SHOULDN'T FALL FOR HER TRICK AND GET ALL WORKED UP...
ON TOP OF THAT, HE KISSED ME ON MY CHEEK ON MY BIRTHDAY!

KRAKKLE

SOUND OF MOUNTAIN EVEREST FALLING

PERFECT EXPRESSION FOR THE SITUATION. HELL HATH NO FURY... LIKE A NICE GIRL SCORNED.

PHAK
GRRR
HOW DARE SHE TRY SOMETHING THAT EVEN I, THE WORLD'S GREATEST PLAYGIRL, HAVEN'T TRIED.... !
SLAP

1
Youngran Lee
Papa

YOU WITCH!!
THUP
AHHEE!!
YOU NINE-TAILED EVIL FOX~!! HOW DARE YOU BLABBER YOUR MOUTH AFTER SNATCHING AWAY MY GOOD OL' HUBBY~?
NOBODY TOLD YOU TO GIVE HIM UP. YOU'RE THE DUMB ONE FOR LETTING HIM GET AWAY!
YOU WOULDN'T EVEN KNOW THE FIRST THING ABOUT DECENCY OR LOYALTY!
HEY! LOOK! A CAT WHAT THEY HAVE EACH OTHER'S HEADS..?
HYUNJOON IS MY FRIEND. IF YOU DON'T BEAT IT RIGHT NOW, I WON'T LET YOU JUST BE -!
YEAH..RIGHT! YOU'RE THE ONE WHO SHOULD BEAT IT, MOON FACE!
I'M TELLING YOU, GIRLS ARE SCARIER THAN BOYS THESE DAYS~
WHAT? YOU STINKY MIDGE -!!

MY GOODNESS~!!
DO YOU MEAN~ YOU TWO GOT INTO SUCH A GRUESOME FIGHT
ALL BECAUSE OF ONE BOY?
MYUNGMAE'S NAMJOMAN TEACHER. SHE TEACHES HOME ECONOMICS
SHEESH. YOU GIRLS ARE GIVING ALL THE WOMEN IN THE WORLD A BAD NAME.
HAVE I TAUGHT YOU TO BE THAT WAY?
TH THE TIMES MAY BE DIFFERENT NOW BUT STILL
OVER A MERE BOY. HOW CAN YOU GIRLS...
OH MY GOD!

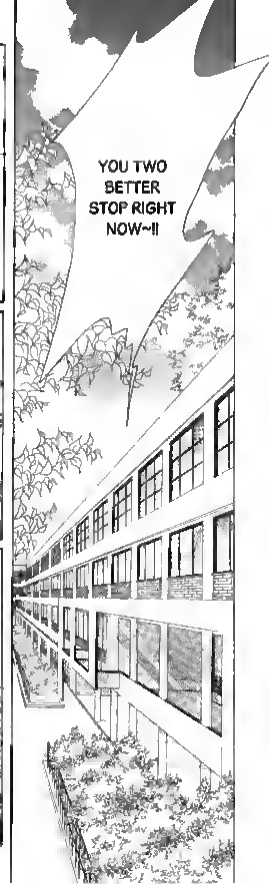
WOMEN ARE SUPPOSED TO BE WOMEN, NOT JUST IN THE 21ST CENTURY BUT EVEN WHEN IT'S THE 30TH CENTURY
BAM
IF YOU GUYS CONSIDER YOURSELVES TRUE WOMEN, YOU SHOULD KNOW TO KEEP YOUR PRIDE AT ALL TIMES!
TEACHERS ROOM
HAVEN'T I EMPHASIZED ENOUGH THAT WOMEN ARE THE VERY ESSENCE OF PRIDE?
IF YOU LACK PRIDE THAT ALONE MEANS YOU RE NOT A WOMAN.
MEN WON'T FIND YOU ATTRACTIVE EITHER. GOT IT?
IF SHE KNOWS THE MALE PSYCHE SO WELL, HOW COME SHE IS STILL NOT TAKEN
TAKE A LOOK AT ME. ELEGANCE ISN'T SOMETH NG YOU JUST ACQUIRE ONE DAY
BUT YOU KIDS SHOULD TRY TO LEARN FROM ME — NOT JUST HOW TO STUDY BUT IN PERSONAL MATTERS TOO
IT WAS TO REGAIN MY BRUTALIZED PRIDE.

THIS SO CALLED BEST FRIEND OF MINE STOLE MY BOYFRIEND CAN YOU BELIEVE IT?!
TH...THAT WAS TOO MUCH, MAAM.
CHLOD
YEAH RIGHT~ YOU'RE A PLAYER WHOSE BOYFRIEND CHANGES TEN TIMES A MONTH~
YOU ALWAYS NEGLECTED HYUNJOON DIDN'T YOU?
IF THAT'S TRUE, YOU HAVE NO EXCUSE, EITHER~
CLOPP
KPLLYK
STILL, HOW COULD YOU STEAL WHAT BELONGS TO OUR FRIEND, YOU... HOMEWRECKER!
SO, YOU WANNA FIGHT SOME MORE~?
KPLLYK
JUST REFLECT ON YOUR UGLY BEHAVIOR FROM THE PAST! YOU MOON FACE!

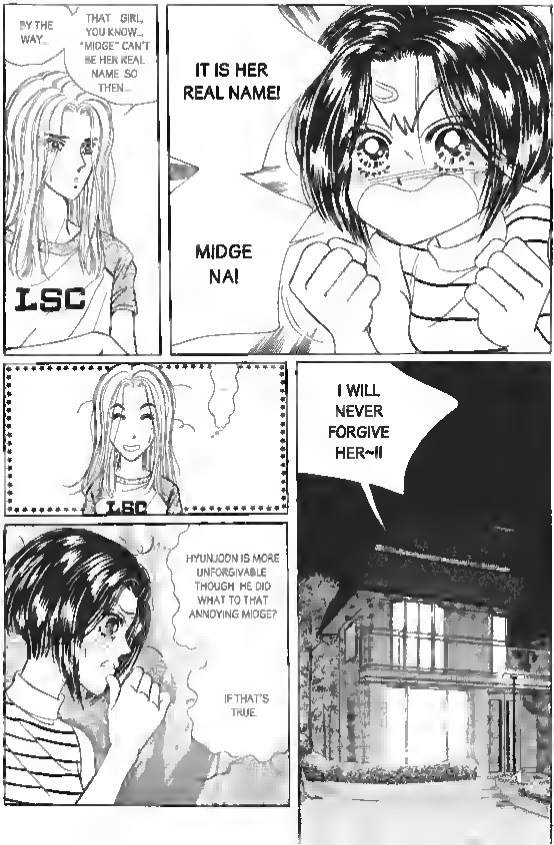
I'M NOT INTESTED IN WATCHING YOUR PATHETIC FIGHTS
HAVE YOU EVEN BEEN LISTENING TO ME ALL THIS TIME ..?!

YOU CHEATER--!
YOU PLAYER--!

GRUDD
KRUKK
WH. WHAT DID YOU GUYS SAY? YOU LITTLE --!! MYUNGHAE HYUNI MUDO NA!
CLOPP


YOU TWO BETTER STOP RIGHT NOW~!!

LSC
SO... SO YOU MEAN IT WENT ON TO A FIST FIGHT, HUH?
HMPH! IT WAS BOUND TO HAPPEN ANYWAY
THIS IS AN EGG.
...I THOUGHT SHE WAS A WELL-MANNERED PASSIVE GIRL BUT YOU GOT A REAL BEATING FROM HER, DIDN'T YOU?
I BEAT HER UP MUCH MORE!
LSC
THAT MIDGE, I DOUBT SHE'LL BE ABLE TO MAKE IT TO SCHOOL TOMORROW


BY THE WAY...
THAT GIRL, YOU KNOW... "MIDGE" CAN'T BE HER REAL NAME SO THEN...
LSC
IT IS HER REAL NAME!
MIDGE NAI
LSC
I WILL NEVER FORGIVE HER~!!
HYUNJOON IS MORE UNFORGIVABLE THOUGH HE DID WHAT TO THAT ANNOYING MIDGE?
IF THAT'S TRUE.

I WON'T FORGIVE YOU~!
YOU'RE WAY PAST FORGIVING NOW
HOW COULD YOU---?!
IT PISSES ME OFF ENOUGH THAT YOU HIT IT OFF WITH MY FRIEND
BUT YOU WENT ALL THE WAY TO BETRAY ME LIKE THAT. SO THOROUGHLY~~
HEY! IS IT TRUE THAT YOU KISSED MIDGE?
WASN'T IT A BAD ON THE CHEEK?

WHAT?
I HEARD YOU DID WHATCHAMACALL IT YOU DID THAT THING ON HER CHEEK ON THAT WENCH'S BIRTHDAY
WHA...WHAT ARE YOU
AH-HA I WAS RIGHT~
HEH
YOUR FACE CAN'T HIDE ANYTHING
I'M RIGHT AREN'T I? RIGHT?
THAT MIDGE LIED TO ME, RIGHT?

GIRLS ARE JUST REALLY WEIRD!
GOSH, HOW CAN SHE SAY SUCH A THING...
DID YOU, OR DID YOU NOT? REPORT THE TRUTH IMMEDIATELY, SOLDIER--!
GRRR
WHATEVER HAPPENED IT DOESN T CONCERN YOU DOES IT?

TH..THEN, YOU REALLY..
ABOUT TO EXPLODE FROM HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE.
TH..THAT CAN'T BE..NO WAY A ROLE MODEL LIKE YOU WOULD NEVER.. I DON'T BELIEVE IT.. IT CAN NEVER BE..
HUPH
ALTHOUGH SHE'S ABOUT TO EXPLODE FROM RAGE, SHE PRETENDS TO BE CALM, AND WORKS HARD TO RESTORE HER SHATTERED PRIDE.
THINK WHATEVER YOU WANT
AND I'D APPRECIATE IT IF YOU'D STOP BOTHERING ME.
WHA-- WHAT?!
HYUNJOON~!
PASTIME

HEY, YOU--! HYUNJOON KIM!
YOU JERK GET BACK HERE RIGHT THIS MINUTE--!
THAT... THAT LITTLE
PBT
I CAN'T
I JUST CAN'T STAND IT ANY MO...
PBT
HA HA HA HA HA

WOW~, TALK ABOUT GETTING DUMPED BY A GUY. YOU GOT BOOTED BIG TIME!
PBTBT

S

EASTPAK

Y YOU EAVESDROPPED? TH THAT'S SO LOW
WHAT DO YOU MEAN "EAVESDROPPED" ?
MAKE A NOTE THAT I CAME HERE AND MARKED THIS SPOT FIRST
BEEP
BEEP
THEN, YOU SHOULD'VE AT LEAST MADE A BREATHING SOUND!!
WELL, YOU SEE~? I WASN'T KEEN ON MISSING OUT ON THAT KIND OF MELODRAMATIC COMEDY
NO... NO WAY YOU HEARD EVERYTHING DID YOU?!
SHE'S SO EMBARRASSED THAT SHE'S OUT OF IT

YOU BET I DID~
YOU SEE, MY HEARING IS EVEN BETTER THAN IT NEEDS TO BE!
I CAN EVEN RECITE THE WHOLE SPEECH~
FROM "I WON'T FORGIVE YOU" TO "IT PISSES ME OFF ENOUGH THAT YOU HIT IT OFF WITH MY FRIEND."
AND THEN TO THE KISS THING
STOP IT RIGHT NOW~!!
YOU SOUND LIKE YOU'RE CONFUSED I DIDN'T GET DUMPED!
THAT JERK S INTENTIONALLY PRETENDING TO CHEAT WITH MY FRIEND BECAUSE HE'S UPSET THAT I'M TOO POPULAR AMONG GUYS AND THEY'RE TOO FRIENDLY WITH ME, THAT'S ALL~!!
IT S SO TRUE THAT EVERYBODY WHO GETS DROPPED REALLY GIVES EXCUSES, AS THEY SAY~
HMM
IT'S TRUE! I'M SERIOUS!!
BUT BUT

A WAIT A MINUTE! WHY AM I SAYING THESE THINGS TO SOME GUY I JUST MET?
HOW ABOUT YOU CHEATING TOO INSTEAD OF BEGGING HIM TO COME BACK LIKE A PATHETIC LOSER?
SO YOU MEAN TO SAY THAT GUY AND ONE OF YOUR FRIENDS IS IN THIS FORBIDDEN RELATIONSHIP?
SHIF
I'M ON THE TALL SIDE BUT THIS DUDE'S REALLY TALL. COULD HE BE A SENIOR?
WITH ME!!

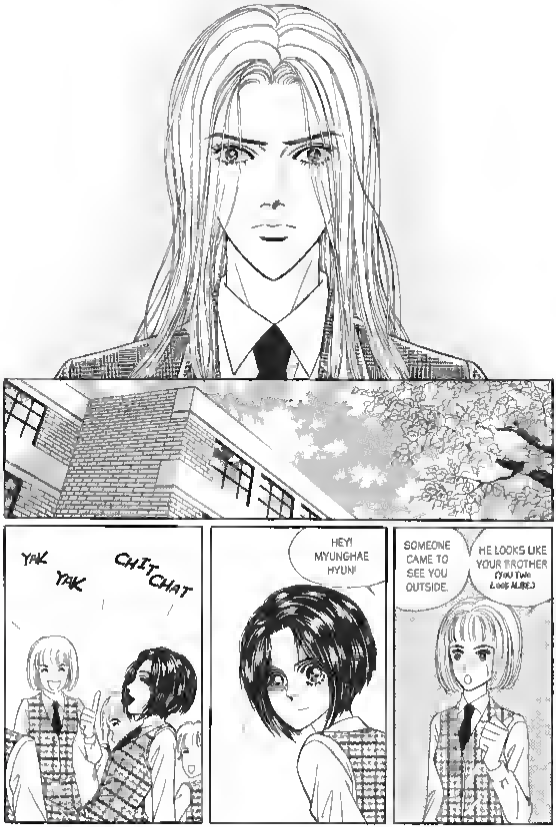
WHAT I'M SAYING IS~ I WILL BE YOUR SAVIOR, SEEING AS HOW YOU WERE DUMPED SO MISERABLY
PAT
PAT
GET OFF ME~!
PUSH
I'LL TELL YOU RIGHT NOW. I DON'T WANT YOU EVEN AS A FREEBIE!
HOW DARE A TOTAL PLAYER THUG LIKE EVEN THINK YOU'RE GOOD ENOUGH FOR ME?!
I WONDER IF YOU GOT DUMPED BECAUSE YOU HAD A BAD TEMPER OR YOU GOT A BAD TEMPER BECAUSE YOU GOT DUMPED~
I TOLD YOU I WASN'T DUMPED~!! ARE YOU GONNA KEEP TALKING NONSENSE~?

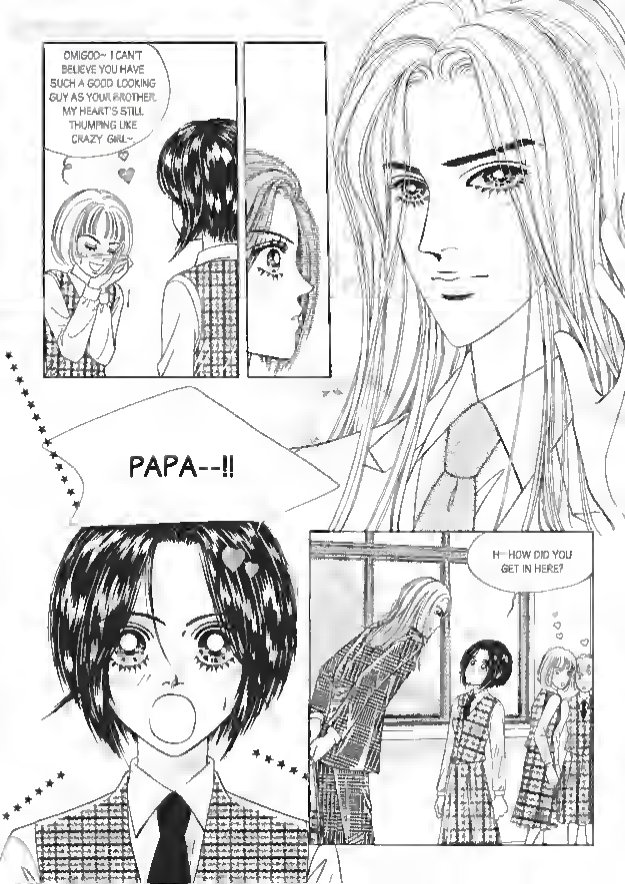
YOU REALLY HAVE MANY FACIAL EXPRESSIONS
HMM I...
GRR
AHA... I IT MUST BE BECAUSE YOU HAVE A BIG FACE.
WHOOSH
UM... NO ONE IS EVER GONNA THINK YOU'RE PRETTY IF YOU HAVE A BIG FACE NOWADAYS~
THAT'S WHY YOU GET YOUR BOYFRIEND STOLEN BY A FRIEND AND NOTHING'S WORKING OUT~ DOWN'S ZE YOUR FACE, THAT S WHAT YOU GOTTA DO!
HEY~ YOUR FACE LOOKS BIGGER IF YOU GROAN LIKE THAT
EXPLODING
PUNCHEM
WHAT'S IT TO YOU IF I HAVE A BIG FACE~?!!
KONK
CHUTT

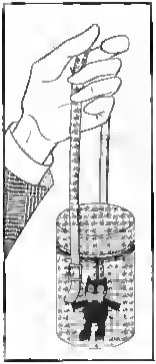
WOW~, TALK ABOUT GETTING DUMPED BY A GUY, YOU GOT BOOTED BIG TIME!
THAT PLAYBOY BUM!
WHY THE HECK DID HE HAVE TO BE THERE AT THAT TIME?!
UGGH~, IT ONLY GETS MORE EMBARRASSING THE MORE I THINK ABOUT IT~
THIS IS ALL BECAUSE OF THAT JERK HYUNJOON~!!
NOT ONE THING IS WORKING OUT!
SEEMS AS IF MYUNGHEE IS ALWAYS IN A BAD MOOD LATELY!
WELL, A LOVE TRIANGLE IS A NIGHTMARE FOR ANYBODY YOU KNOW.

I'M LATE~!
THAT'S WHY YOUR PAPA WILL DRIVE YOU TO SCHOOL, AT LEAST IN EMERGENCIES~
NO~ I COULD NEVER STAND KIDS WHO GET DROPPED OFF AT SCHOOL IN THEIR PARENTS' CARS THEY ALWAYS TURNED ME OFF
I'LL TAKE THE SUBWAY HAVE A GREAT DAY~!

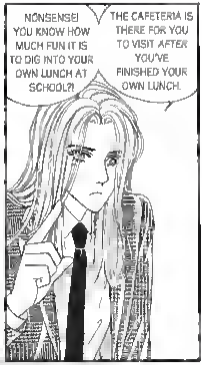
SHE'S A VERY CUTE GIRL.
SHE'S WHAT PEOPLE CALL A WELL BROUGHT UP CHILD
SHE LOOKS LIKE SHE'S ALL OVER THE PLACE BUT SHE HAS THE BASIC MANNERS. I CAN TELL SHE'S RECEIVED PROPER HOME EDUCATION
EVEN THE APATHETIC MR. RYUN IS FEELING AWESOME AFTER THIS CAMPAIGN AT HIS INN.
MY MY~ SHE MUST HAVE FORGOTTEN HER LUNCH RUNNING OUT IN A HURRY
OH NO~


YAK YAK CHIT CHAT
HEY! MYUNGHAE HYUN!
SOMEONE CAME TO SEE YOU OUTSIDE.
HE LOOKS LIKE YOUR BROTHER (YOU TWO LOOK ALIKE.)


OMIGOD~ I CAN'T BELIEVE YOU HAVE SUCH A GOOD LOOKING GUY AS YOUR BROTHER. MY HEART'S STILL THUMPING LIKE CRAZY GIRL~
PAPA--!!
H--HOW DID YOU GET IN HERE?

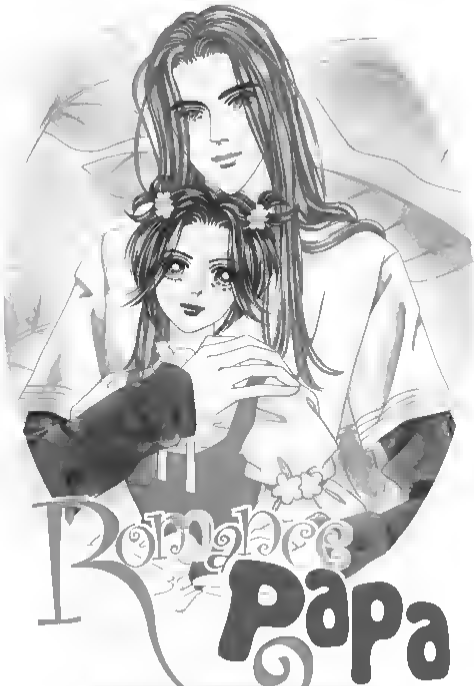


OH MY GOD! YOU'RE TELLING ME YOU CAME ALL THE WAY OVER HERE JUST TO BRING ME MY LUNCH? I COULD'VE JUST GONE TO THE CAFETERIA.
YOU AND GRANDMA EVEN TAKE TURNS GIVING ME TOO MUCH ALLOWANCE ALREADY.


NONSENSE! YOU KNOW HOW MUCH FUN IT IS TO DIG INTO YOUR OWN LUNCH AT SCHOOL?!
THE CAFETERIA IS THERE FOR YOU TO VISIT AFTER YOU'VE FINISHED YOUR OWN LUNCH.

OKEY DOKEY! HAVE FUN AT SCHOOL I'LL SEE YOU AT HOME LATER~
OKAY....

!
AH, THAT'S RIGHT!
PAPA, COME HERE FOR A SEC~
HUH?
HEY, GUYS~! EVERYBODY LOOK OVER HERE~!
I PRESENT YOU MY DAD!
TADA



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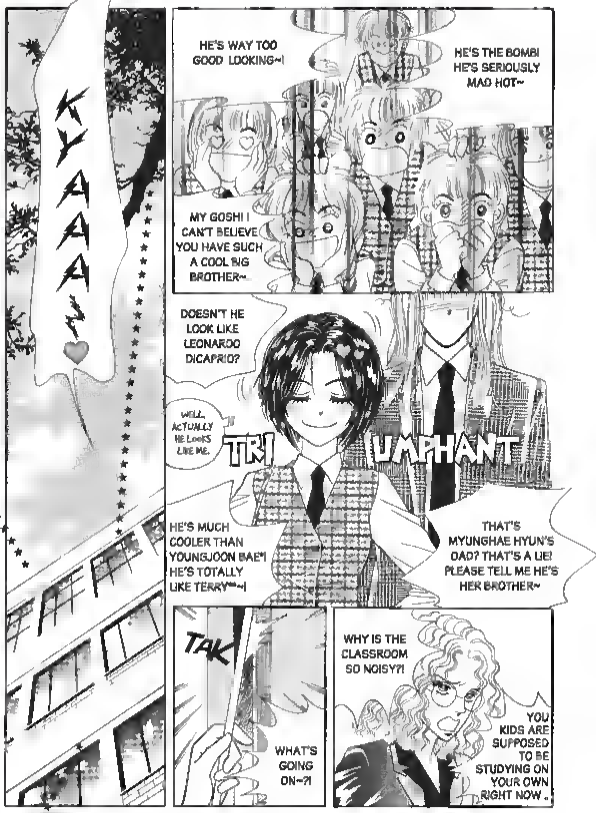
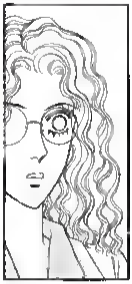
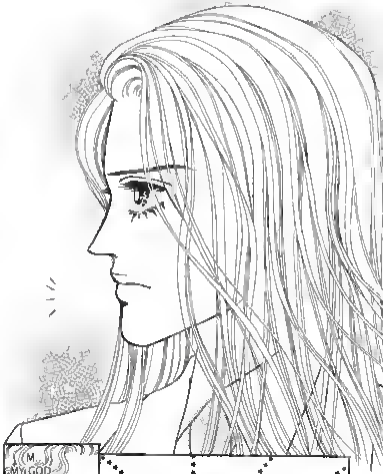

KYAAAA~
HE'S WAY TOO GOOD LOOKING~!
HE'S THE BOMB! HE'S SERIOUSLY MAD HOT~
MY GOSH! I CAN'T BELIEVE YOU HAVE SUCH A COOL BIG BROTHER~
DOESN'T HE LOOK LIKE LEONARDO DICAPRIO?
WELL, ACTUALLY HE LOOKS LIKE ME.
TRIUMPHANT
HE'S MUCH COOLER THAN YOUNGJOON BAE! HE'S TOTALLY LIKE TERRY~~!
THAT'S MYUNGHAE HYUN'S DAD? THAT'S A LIE! PLEASE TELL ME HE'S HER BROTHER~
TAK
WHAT'S GOING ON~?!
WHY IS THE CLASSROOM SO NOISY?!
YOU KIDS ARE SUPPOSED TO BE STUDYING ON YOUR OWN RIGHT NOW.

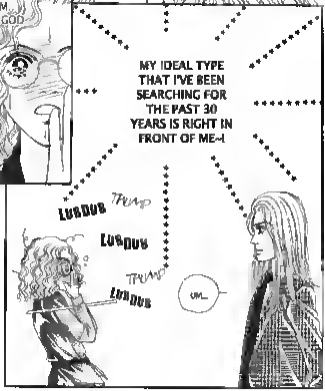
* A POPULAR KOREAN ACTOR
** A WELL-LOVED CHARACTER FROM "CANDY CANDY" A FAMOUS MANGA AND ANIME FROM THE 70'S



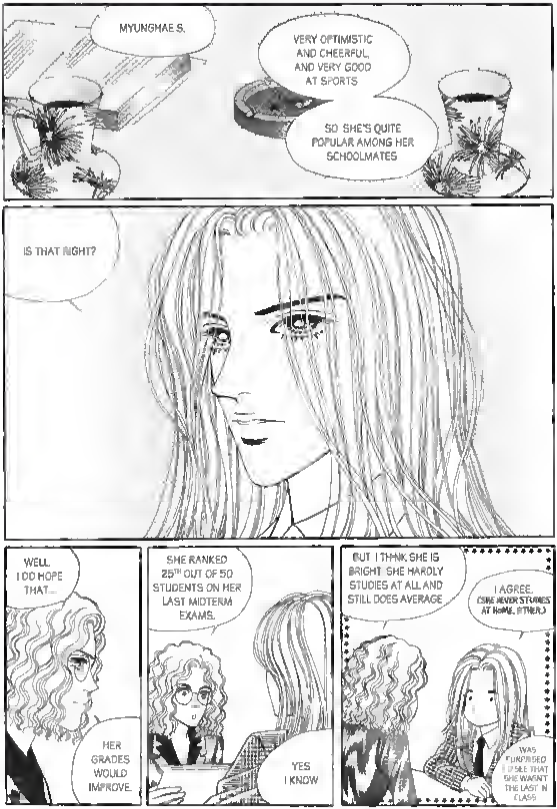


SCAR
FEECH
HOLY CRAP~!♡

OMG
MY GOD

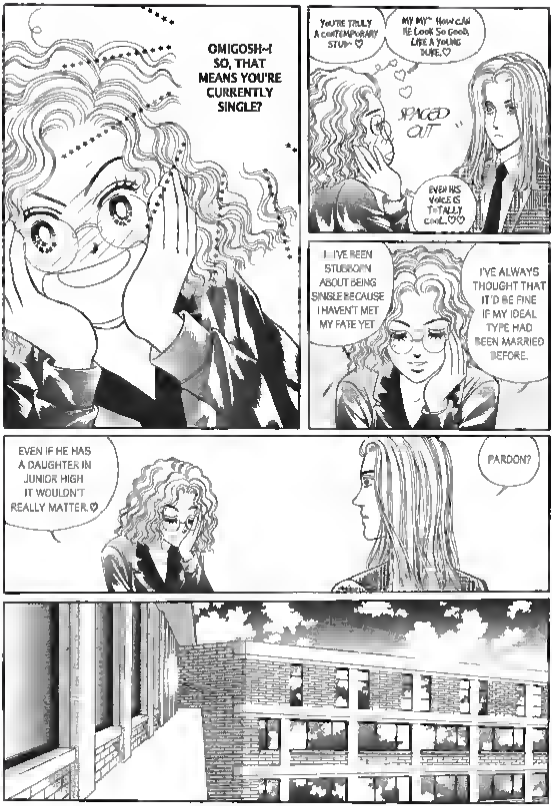

MY IDEAL TYPE THAT I'VE BEEN SEARCHING FOR THE PAST 30 YEARS IS RIGHT IN FRONT OF ME~!
LUBDUB
TRUMP
LUBDUB
TRUMP
LUBDUB
UM...

WOULD YOU BE MYUNGHAE S HOMEROOM TEACHER?
YES... I AM~ ♡
SPACED OUT.
IN A COMA.!
NICE TO MAKE YOUR ACQUAIN TANCE
I M MYUNG-HAE'S FATHER.
EH?
COUNSELOR
I M SANGBUM-HYUN
HE CAN NEVER SAY HIS FIRST AND LAST NAMES TOGETHER.
I M A PLASTIC SURGEON
MY NAME IS YOUNGNAN LEE
I TEACH HOME ECONOMICS
DID HE SAY HE'S A "DAD"? HE LOOKS LIKE HE'S IN HIS EARLY 20'S, NO MATTER HOW HARD I LOOK.
WHEN THE HECK DID HE GET MARRIED...!


MYUNGMAE S.
VERY OPTIMISTIC AND CHEERFUL, AND VERY GOOD AT SPORTS
SO SHE'S QUITE POPULAR AMONG HER SCHOOLMATES
IS THAT RIGHT?
WELL, I DO HOPE THAT...
HER GRADES WOULD IMPROVE.
SHE RANKED 25TH OUT OF 50 STUDENTS ON HER LAST MIDTERM EXAMS.
YES I KNOW
BUT I THINK SHE IS BRIGHT. SHE HARDLY STUDIES AT ALL AND STILL DOES AVERAGE.
I AGREE. (SHE NEVER STUDIES AT HOME, EITHER.)
I WAS SURPRISED TO SEE THAT SHE WASN'T THE LAST IN CLASS.

SO..
IF YOU CAN PAY MORE ATTENTION TO HER STUDIES AT HOME,
I BELIEVE SHE CAN EASILY IMPROVE GRADES
I...
DON'T WISH TO TWIST MY CHILD'S ARM TO ONLY STUDY
IF MYUNGHAE WILL GROW UP BRIGHT AND HEALTHY WITH A SOUND MIND...
I HAVE NOTHING MORE TO WISH FOR.

AND...
I WOULD LIKE TO GIVE FULL RESPECT FOR THE THINGS OTHER THAN STUDYING THAT SHE HAS FOUND INTERESTING
UM
I UNDERSTAND THAT HER MOTHER HAS PASSED AWAY
YES
THAT'S RIGHT


OMIGOSH~! SO, THAT MEANS YOU'RE CURRENTLY SINGLE?
YOU'RE TRULY A CONTEMPORARY STUD~ ♡
MY MY~ HOW CAN HE LOOK SO GOOD, LIKE A YOUNG DUKE. ♡
SPACED OUT
EVEN HIS VOICE IS TOTALLY COOL ♡♡
I'VE BEEN STUBBORN ABOUT BEING SINGLE BECAUSE I HAVEN'T MET MY FATE YET
I'VE ALWAYS THOUGHT THAT IT'D BE FINE IF MY IDEAL TYPE HAD BEEN MARRIED BEFORE.
EVEN IF HE HAS A DAUGHTER IN JUNIOR HIGH IT WOULDN'T REALLY MATTER. ♡
PARDON?

HYUNJOON THAT JERK!
HE'S MUCH MORE TENACIOUS THAN I THOUGHT...
I TRIED BOTH THE CARROT AND THE STICK AND EVEN PULLED INDIFFERENCE FOR A WHILE I'VE TRIED EVERYTHING THERE IS BUT NOTHING WORKED
NOW YOU KNOW VERY WELL NO BOY S EVER BEEN ABLE TO RESIST ONCE I JUST SET MY SIGHTS ON HIM
THAT SORT OF THING ISN'T MY "EXPERTISE"
BUT MAYBE I SHOULD TRY THE POISONOUS PRESCRIPTION THAT DAD TAUGHT ME?
STILL.
YOU JUST WAIT AND WATCH I'M NEVER GONNA LET YOU TAKE HYUNJOON AWAY FROM ME NOT YOU!!

1
Youngran Lee
Papa

HYUNWOO HAD NO CHOICE BUT TO BE DRAGGED OUT HERE FROM THE LIBRARY BECAUSE MYUNGHEE WAS MAKING A SCENE.
IT'S ENOUGH NOW!
HOW CAN YOU GO OUT WITH MY FRIEND IN FRONT OF ME?! OKAY! IT REALLY WORKED!
IT GAVE ME ENOUGH OF A SHOCK.
SO STOP IT NOW..
HOW CAN YOU DO THIS TO ME~?
SOB
SOB
HUH? WHERE ARE MY TEARS?
I'VE EVEN BEGGED YOU THAT MUCH YOU REALLY ARE A JERK
EVEN WHEN I CHEATED ON YOU I WAS NEVER AS CRUEL AS YOU ARE NOW!
SOB
SOB
SOB
SO PLEASE STOP THIS CRAZINESS ALREADY AND COME BACK TO YOUR OLD SELF~
WHAT'S MY OLD SELF?

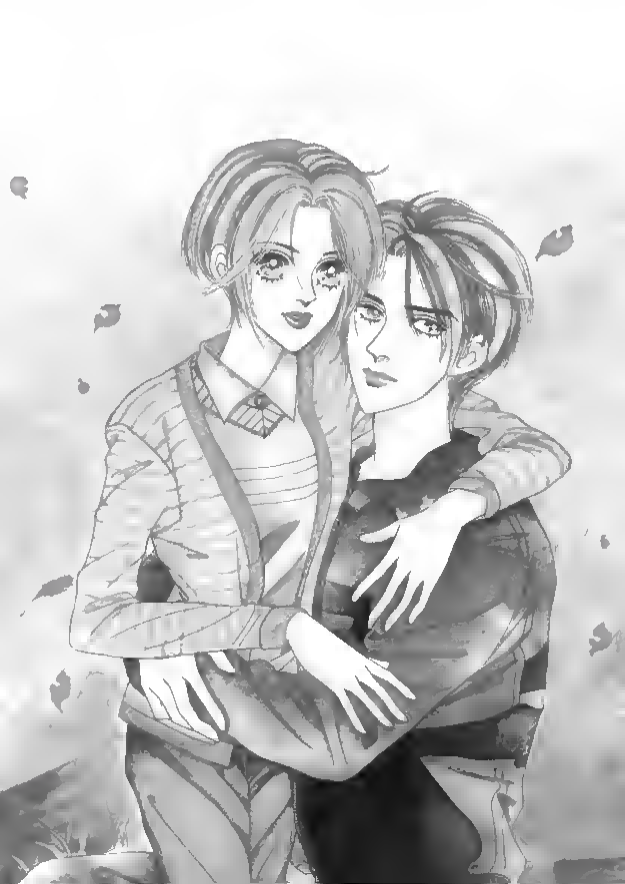
OBEYING ALL YOUR ORDERS
ENDURING YOUR TEMPER AND ALL YOUR HYSTERICS
EVEN BEARING YOUR IMPOSSIBLE CHEATING SPREES, AND SACRIFICING FOR YOU- ?
YOU EVEN DATED MY FRIEND EVENTUALLY
WHAT? YOUR FRIEND?
SNIFFLE
SNIFFLE
WHEN DID I DO THAT?
YOUR... FRIEND
OH YOU MEAN GYUNGTAE?
SNIFFLE
HA.
BWAHAHAHAHA
MYUNWAE, PLEASE...

I GET IT NOW I GET WHY YOU'RE PISSED OFF~
YOU'RE GOING OUT WITH THAT MIDGE OUT OF SPITE CAUSE I WENT OUT WITH YOUR FRIEND!!
PWA HA HA
HEH
HEH
PWA HA HA
AGH, MY STOMACH HURTS...
HEH HEH
BUT YOU MISUNDERSTOOD
I ONLY MET HIM A COUPLE OF TIMES AS A WARNING FOR HIM TO STOP CHASING ME AROUND
I DIDN'T DATE HIM, YOU SEE~?
PWAHAHAH
PWAHAHAH
HE'S SO UGLY HE HAS GOOD TASTE THOUGH
HE KEPT FOLLOWING ME AROUND LIKE CRAZY
HMPH!
I'M SURE YOU LED HIM ON FOR HIM TO FOLLOW YOU AROUND
IN YOUR DREAMS~!
I KNOW YOU SHE'S NOT YOUR TYPE YOU DON'T LIKE MISERABLE WITCHES AREN'T I RIGHT?
I DIDN'T SEE GYUNGTAE HWANG! DON'T PUT ME IN THE SAME CATEGORY AS THAT MIDGE! I DON'T LIKE THAT! BESIDES, I PUT A CLEAN END TO IT IF THERE WAS ANYTHING BETWEEN ME AND HIM WHEN WE STARTED JUNIOR HIGH!
SO YOU STOP THIS WEIRD AND AWKWARD GAME RIGHT NOW!!

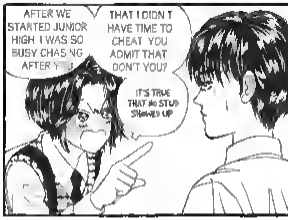
YEAH— IT WAS FOR THAT
BUT ONCE I STARTED TO SEE HER, MY TASTE CHANGED AND I GOT TO LIKE HER
ARE YOU GONNA KEEP DRIVING ME NUTS~?
C'MON, BREAK UP WITH HER IMMEDIATELY ~!
OTHER-WISE, I'M REALLY GONNA END IT WITH YOU!
AND THEN YOU LL GO OUT WITH ME
WHISH
YOU HAVE SOME EXCEPTIONAL SENSE OF HUMOR~
WHISH
IT CAN'T BE... I'M NOT IN SCHOOL GROUNDS.
WHISH
I'VE ALREADY CHECKED WHETHER WE WERE ALONE.
IN A MERE FEW MINUTES, YOU'VE MANAGED TO CRY AND THEN LAUGH, AND THEN GET MAD, AND EVEN THREATEN ME LIKE~

TH..THAT
JERK~

YOU LOOK LIKE YOU WANNA ASK WHO I AM
YOOOO~!
CHOOM
I'M THE NEW BOYFRIEND OF THIS PLAYGIRL!



B R R
ALREADY CRACKED BY HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE.
WHY THE HECK ARE YOU CLAIMING TO BE MY BOYFRIEND~?!!
HYUNJOON YOU..!
THIS IS MY RESPONSE TO
THAT PLAYER'S B.S!


AFTER WE STARTED JUNIOR HIGH I WAS SO BUSY CHASING AFTER Y
THAT I DIDN'T HAVE TIME TO CHEAT YOU ADMIT THAT DON'T YOU?
IT'S TRUE THAT MI STUD STUNNED UP

WHAT I'M SAYING IS THAT I MET THAT BUM ALL BECAUSE OF YOU!
SHE'S GETTING MORE UPSET NOW THAT SHE'S TALKING ABOUT IT.
SEE, HAD YOU JUST NOT CHEATED ON ME, I WOULDN'T HAVE HAD ANY REASON TO MEET THAT PUNK-H!

I'M SEEING HIM FOR THE FIRST TIME NOW SINCE THAT GODAWFUL DAY I MET HIM!
I DON'T KNOW A THING ABOUT HIM HIS NAME OR HIS AGE!
IT'S GOTTA BE THE SAME FOR HIM, TOO!!

* WHEN KOREANS REFER TO A GRADUATING CLASS, THEY COUNT THE NUMBER OF THE GRADUATIONS SINCE THE SCHOOL'S FOUNDING, NOT THE YEAR OF THE GRADUATION, AS IN AMERICA.

AN INCORRIGIBLE FLIRT WHO'S SAID TO HAVE ALWAYS MAINTAINED 5 OR MORE BOYFRIENDS
CURRENTLY A 7TH GRADER AT HAKSAN JUNIOR HIGH, CLASS 7 STUDENT NUMBER 42. HAS ABOUT AVERAGE GRADES
THE NAME'S
MYUNGHAE HYUN ♡
MYUNGHAE HYUN DID THE SEX HYUN?
BRR
YOU, YOU, YOU!
WHEN DID YOU RESEARCH MY BACKGROUND? THAT'S MY "SPECIALTY."
EACH CLASS IS GIVEN HIS/HER UNIQUE NUMBER.

MYUNGHAE HYUN?
HER LAST NAME S
YOO THOUGH
HOW DID YOU FIND
THAT OUT?! YOU GOT THAT
FROM SOMEONE IN MY CLASS,
RIGHT? WHO IS IT? SPILL
THE DIRT RIGHT NOW!
THAT KIND OF
TRICK DOESN'T
WORK ON ME.
WHY IS
HER LAST
NAME NOW
"HYUN ?
HYUNJOON
KIM~!
I'M REALLY
INNOCENT THIS TIME.
PLEASE BELIEVE ME
YOU GOTTA BELIEVE
ME YOU'D BETTER
BELIEVE ME
YOU KNOW MY TASTE.
YOU KNOW THAT I DON'T
BOTHER WITH THAT KIND
OF PLAYER THUG RIGHT?!
I REALLY DON'T
KNOW THAT
JERK! SERIOUS!
I MEAN IT~!!

HYUN..
HYUNJOON!
WHIRL
HYUNJOON!
WAIT!
HEY~,
HYUNJOON
KIM~!!
KRA KADOOM

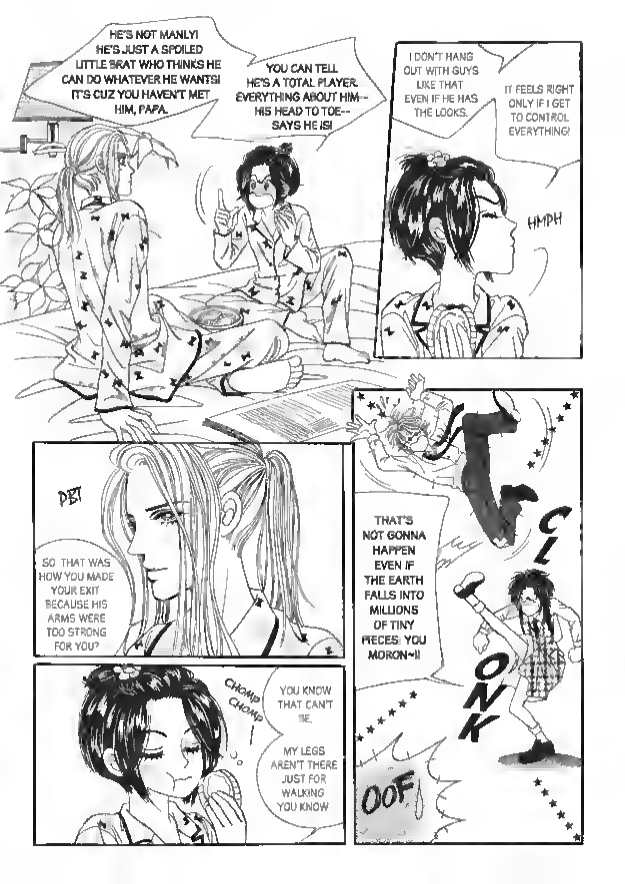
WHAT
IT'S A COINCIDENCE AND YOU WERE HERE FIRST THIS TIME, TOO?
NAH--
I SAW YOU CHASING AFTER HIM LIKE A MADWOMAN SO I FOLLOWED YOU.
YOUR PERFORMANCE TODAY WAS REALLY ENJOYABLE, JUST AS I EXPECTED OF COURSE
ピッ
DEEP
YOU JUST DON'T KNOW WHEN TO GIVE IT A REST DO YOU?!
I'M WARNING YOU, DON'T EVEN SAY HI TO ME FROM NOW ON!
IF YOU DO, IT WON'T BE JUST YOUR NOSE BLEEDING!!

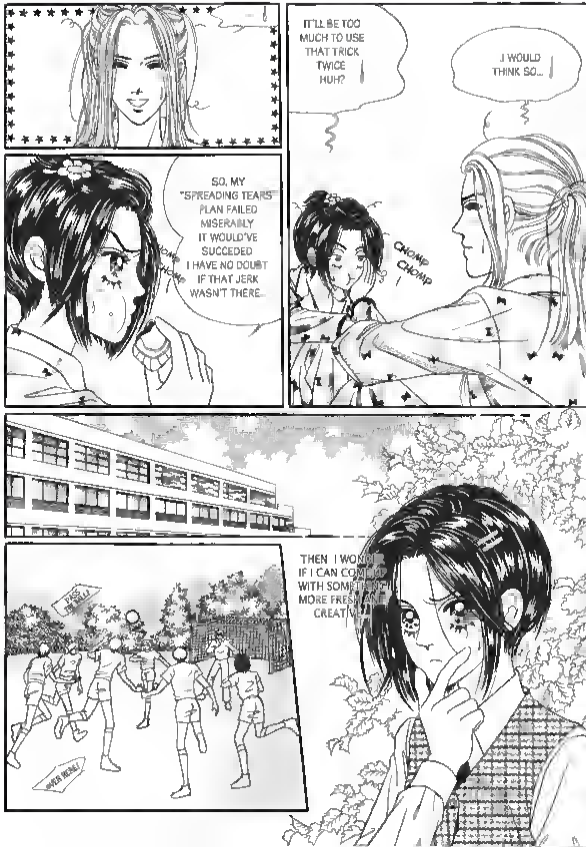
I REALLY CAN'T STAND LOSERS LIKE YOU
I DON'T WANT TO DEAL WITH YOU EVEN FOR A NANO SECOND!!
BORING DUDES LIKE HIM DON'T GO WITH YOU
EVEN IF HE GOES BACK TO BEING YOURS I BET YOUR OLD HABITS START TO SHOW THEMSELVES AGAIN
HE PROBABLY KNOWS IT TOO
MAYBE HE THINKS DATING YOUR FRIEND AND PISSING YOU OFF LIKE NOW IS WHAT'S GETTING HIM YOUR ATTENTION

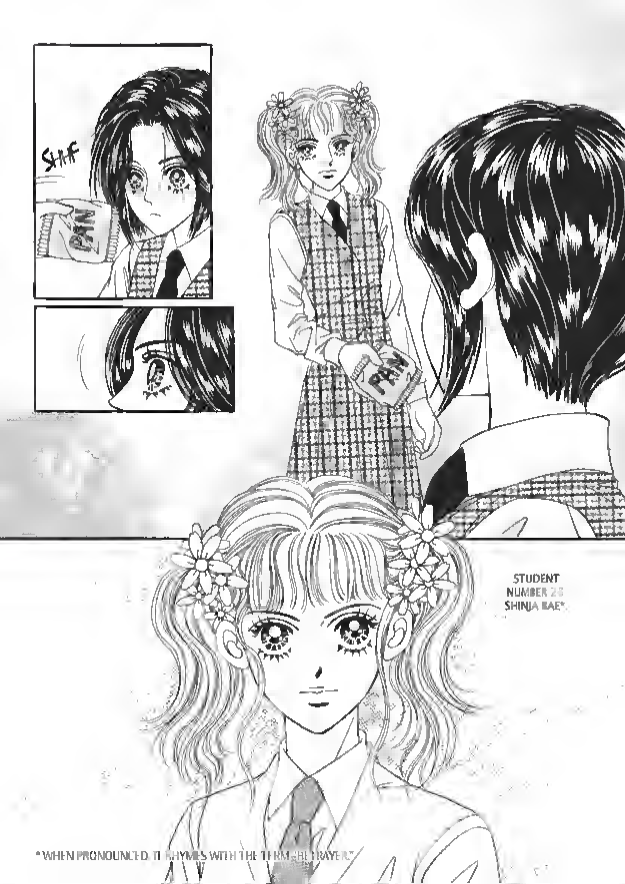
YOU HAVE A GOOD SENSE OF HUMOR AND YOU'RE FAST.
SO A GUY WHO CAN SOMETIMES CONTROL A WILD GIRL LIKE YOU IS YOUR PERFECT MATCH.
ARE YOU SAYING THAT THAT'S YOU?
HA
HA
HA
YOUR BRAIN DOES WORK FAST IT MUST BE BECAUSE YOU HAVE SUCH A BIG HEAD ♡
YOU WERE BORN INTO THIS WORLD TO ANNOY ME RIGHT?
WHOA~
NOW THAT YOU MENTION IT THAT DOES SOUND RIGHT ♡
GRIP

I'VE FOUND GIRLS BORING UNTIL NOW,
BUT I LIKE YOU QUITE A BIT
YOU...
AND

I HAVE NO DOUBT YOU'LL LIKE ME, TOO!
...THAT'S WHAT HE SAID TO ME, CAN YOU BELIEVE IT?
WHOA~ HE IS PRETTY MANLY~
WHAT DO YOU MEAN? THAT'S DISGUSTING!!


HE'S NOT MANLY! HE'S JUST A SPOILED LITTLE BRAT WHO THINKS HE CAN DO WHATEVER HE WANTS! IT'S CUZ YOU HAVEN'T MET HIM, PAPA.
YOU CAN TELL HE'S A TOTAL PLAYER. EVERYTHING ABOUT HIM-- HIS HEAD TO TOE-- SAYS HE IS!
I DON'T HANG OUT WITH GUYS LIKE THAT EVEN IF HE HAS THE LOOKS.
IT FEELS RIGHT ONLY IF I GET TO CONTROL EVERYTHING!
HMPH
PET
SO THAT WAS HOW YOU MADE YOUR EXIT BECAUSE HIS ARMS WERE TOO STRONG FOR YOU?
THAT'S NOT GONNA HAPPEN EVEN IF THE EARTH FALLS INTO MILLIONS OF TINY PIECES, YOU MORON~!!
CL
ONK
OOF
CHOMP CHOMP
YOU KNOW THAT CAN'T BE.
MY LEGS AREN'T THERE JUST FOR WALKING YOU KNOW


IT'LL BE TOO MUCH TO USE THAT TRICK TWICE HUH?
I WOULD THINK SO...
CHOMP CHOMP
SO, MY "SPREADING TEARS" PLAN FAILED MISERABLY IT WOULD'VE SUCCEEDED I HAVE NO DOUBT IF THAT JERK WASN'T THERE...
THEN I WON'T IF I CAN COME WITH SOMETHING MORE FRESH AND CREATIVE
PASS ME!
OVER HERE!



*WHEN PRONOUNCED, IT RHYMES WITH THE TERM "PRETRAYER."

THIS GIRL
LET'S EAT TOGETHER.
OTHER KIDS SAY THEY DON'T WANNA EAT WITH ME
EVERY KID IN OUR CLASS HATES HER AFTER THE INFAMOUS "TUITION DISAPPEARING ACT*" AT THE START OF THE SEMESTER
BUT YOU LOVE FREEBIES AS MUCH AS YOU LOVE PRETTY BOYS DON'T YOU?
I LOOK AT IT AS JEALOUSY OVER MY BEAUTY AND CHARISMA. THAT'S WHY EVERYONE'S AVOIDING ME
I SHOULD JUST BE THE BIGGER PERSON TO UNDERSTAND THEM YOU KNOW-
BUT I AM GETTING PRETTY ANNOYED NOW BECAUSE I DON'T EVEN HAVE A FRIEND TO EAT MY LUNCH WITH
CHOMP CHOMP
CHOMP CHOMP
IN GENERAL, THERE ISN'T ANYTHING FREE IN THE WORLD

*MORE ABOUT THIS IN VOLUME 2

THEREFORE, YOU WILL HAVE TO BECOME MY BEST FRIEND!
WE'LL GO TO THE CAFETERIA TOGETHER, WE'LL LINE UP TOGETHER WHEN WE HAVE GYM.
OUTSIDE ON THE PLAYGROUND WE'LL GO TO THE BATHROOM TOGETHER.
I'VE DECIDED NOT TO BOTHER WITH THAT STUPID CONCEPT OF BEST FRIEND.
A WAYS BACK, THIS WENCH I WAS THE CLOSEST TO STOLE MY BOYFRIEND
CHOMP CHOMP
AHA~ THAT GIRL YOU GOT INTO A CAT FIGHT WITH BECAUSE OF SOME BOY WAS YOUR BEST FRIEND?
CHOMP CHOMP

THAT'S RIGHT ANYWAY, I'M NOT GONNA BOTHER WITH THE BEST FRIEND THING EPSCIALLY BECAUSE YOUR NAME GETS ON MY NERVES TO BEGIN WITH--
YOU WANNA KNOW WHO?
CHOMU CHOMU
OH...THAT? DON'T WORRY ABOUT THAT.
I ALREADY HAVE SOMEONE I LIKE. HE'S IN # " GRADE.
OVER THERE
YOU SEE THAT GUY WHO HAS THE BALL NOW?

WH...WHAT THE...?!
TH...THAT JERK IS~

HOT HUH? HE'S TOTALLY CAPTURED MY SOUL FROM THE VERY MOMENT I LAID MY EYES ON HIM ♡
HE'S A JUNIOR SOCCER PLAYER WITH A PROMISING FUTURE~ ♡
PEOPLE SAY HE WAS BORN WITH A NATURAL GIFT FOR SOCCER.
I HEAR EVEN HIGH SCHOOL GUYS GET INTIMIDATED BY HIS THREATENINGLY POWERFUL RIGHT FOOT
HE'S IN 8TH GRADE? THAT FACE'S NO 8TH GRADER
HE LOOKED SO MOLDY THAT I THOUGHT
HE WAS LIKE A 19 YEAR-OLD 9TH GRADER!
YOU DO KNOW HIM HUH? OF COURSE~
I DON'T!
HE'S THE BEST LOOKING GUY IN ALL HAKSAN BY REPUTATION AND IN FACT TOO~
BUT I THOUGHT YOU WERE THE PRETTY BOY KILLER.

THE BEST...
KZAK-
THAT MAKES SENSE. THIS SCHOOL S SUFFERING FROM A SEVERE LACK OF HOT GUYS
STILL, EVEN MY DAD'S FEET ARE BETTER LOOKING THAN HE IS
YOUR DAD?
OH HIM-I THE GIRLS WENT CRAZY OVER HIM THAT TIME...
I DIDN'T GET TO SEE H M 'CAUSE I WAS N THE BATHROOM. BUT THERE E JUET NO WAY THAT AN OLD FART CAN BE HOTTER THAN A IS YEAR OLD STUD
IF YOUR DAD S THAT HANDSOME, HAS HE EVER BEEN BOOKED AS A MODEL?
WHAT?
MY DAD S NOT AN OLD FART!
HE'S ONLY 37! THERE'S SOME PEOPLE WHO KNOW WHO ARE STILL SINGLE AT THAT AGE!

4. WHO IS MYUNGYUNG PREFERRING TO HERE? (1) YOUNGRAN LEE, MYUNGRAE'S HOMEROOM AND HOME ECONOMICS TEACHER. (2) YUNGRAN LEE, A CARTOONIST. (3) SHE'LL

HE WORKS PART TIME AS A TEEN CLOTHING MODEL FOR FASHION MAGAZINES
NOT ONLY DOES HE HAVE A SMALL FACE HE ALSO HAS THE HOTTEST BODY ♡
THERE ARE OF COURSE MANY MANY GIRLS WHO ARE CRAZY ABOUT HIM EVEN GIRLS IN 8TH GRADE! ♡
KYACK ♡
KYAA ♡
KYAA
BUT HE REALLY HATES IT WHEN A GIRL FOLLOWS HIM AROUND AND BOTHERS HIM.
SO MOST GIRLS JUST LOOK AT HIM FROM A DISTANCE AND LOVE UNREQUITED CAUSE THAT IS BETTER THAN HAVING HIM HATE YOU

I GUESS~ IT WOULD BE A SIN IF SOMEONE AS COOL AS HIM BECOMES ONE GIRL'S POSSESSION. ♡
HE SHOULD STAY SINGLE FOR ALL OF US TO APPRECIATE HIM ♡
I HEARD HE HAS SERIOUSLY SHOCKING GRADES TOO
HE RANKED NUMBER ONE IN HIS CLASS A COUPLE OF TIMES, BUT THEN HE GOT TIRED OF IT
SO THEN
HE RANKED LAST IN THE WHOLE SCHOOL!
LOOK
AND THEN HE DID LAST IN HIS CLASS
DEPENDING ON HIS MOOD THE AVERAGE SCORE OF H·S CLASS GOES UP AND DOWN ♡
I'M EVEN MORE TOUCHED BY HIS FREE SPIRIT ♡
TH THAT JERK I THOUGHT HE WAS A PLAYER THUG BUT HE'S REALLY A SERIOUS PSYCHO, HUH

THE MAN BOKIT YANG HIMSELF
INDEED IS A PIECE OF ART~ ♡
BUCKET? BUCKET~!
OMIGOSH, HIS NAME'S BUCKET~
WHAT...? A BUCKET?
HIS NAME S BUCKET?
NO WONDER I FELT HIS BEING WAS UNBEARABLY LIGHT~ EVEN HIS NAME'S UNBEARABLY LIGHT~
AHAHA
HA HA HA HA
IT'S SO PERFECT FOR THAT NUTCASE.
BUCKET. A BUCKET~
A WATER BUCKET~ A MOP CLEANING BUCKET~
PWA
HA
HA
HA
IT'S NOT "BUCKET," IT'S BOKIT.

* A FUN ON THE NOVEL "THE UNBEARABLE LIGHTNESS OF BEING" BY MILAN KUNDERA

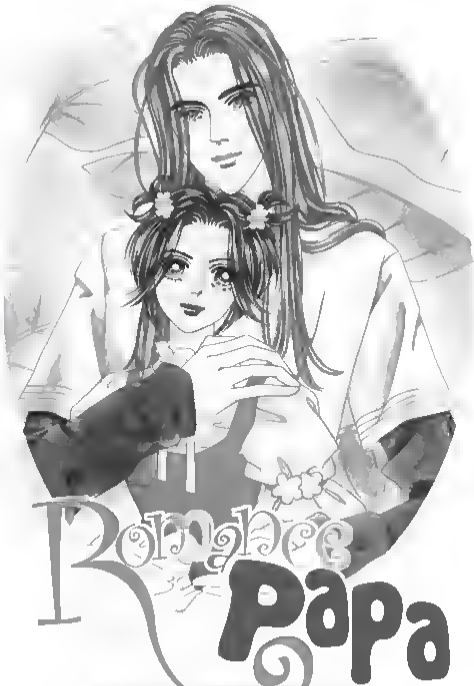
OH, MY! HE'S LOOKING THIS WAY!?
HUH?
WINK
HE... HE JUST WINKED... AT ME!
THIS HAS TO BE A NEW LOW
GURGL

HOW DID HER LAST NAME ALL OF A SUDDEN CHANGE TO "HYUN" FROM "YOO?"
I WONDER WHAT HAPPENED
SEEING AS HOW SHE'S EULLY REGAINED HER BRIGHT FACE
FROM WHEN HER PARENTS WERE STILL ALIVE
I DON'T THINK ANYTHING SAD HAS HAPPENED TO HER
NO
MYUNGHAE CALLED HIM DR. SHIN
MAYBE SHE REALLY DID GET ADOPTED BY THAT NICE SHRINK DUDE?
SHE WAS ABLE TO FIND HER PEACE FAST ALL BECAUSE OF HIM AFTER ALL.

...IF YOU'RE THAT CURIOUS, WHY DON'T YOU JUST ASK HER?
YOU DID CARRY THAT JOKE TOO FAR.
WHAT IF YOU REALLY BECOME ENEMIES WITH HER.
YOU DO LIKE HER...
LYING ABOUT HOW I KISSED YOU AND GETTING INTO A HAIR PULLING GIRL FIGHT

...IT'S NOTHING COMPARED TO HOW YOU FEEL ABOUT HER.
WHAT'S WRONG? ARE YOU WORRIED THAT SHE MIGHT REALLY STOP CARING ABOUT YOU BECAUSE OF ME?
DO YOU THINK YOU CAN EVER PUT A STOP TO HER PLAYGIRL TENDENCIES
IF YOU'RE SO SOFT-HEARTED--?!

PAPA!! WHY IS HE RUNNING WILD WHEN WE'RE THE MAIN CHARACTERS?
JUST LOOK AT THOSE DETESTABLE FLOWERS AROUND HIM.
HE SAYS ONLY HIS SEXY LOOK IS GOING TO APPEAL TO THE FEMALE PAPA FANS. HUH!
HE HAS MADAME YOUNGAH PRACTICALLY WRAPPED WITH THOSE GOOD LOOKS OF HIS.



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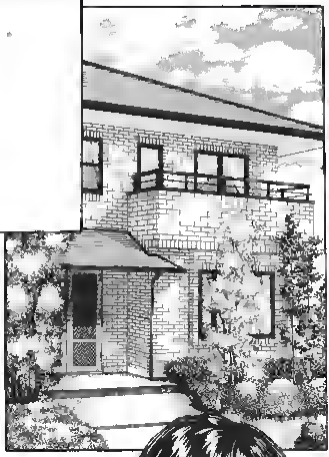
ARE YOU HOME HYUNJOON?
(HYUNJOON'S MOM)
YES MOM

YOU WANNA...
GO OUT WITH ME--?
THIS GIRL'S
MYUNGHAE'S BEST FRIEND
WHAT'S HER NAME AGAIN? MIJOO NA?

YOU'RE MYUNGHAE'S BEST BUDDY
SHE'S DATING YOUR FRIEND NOW TOO
THAT'S WHY YOU'VE BEEN SERIOUSLY DEPRESSED RECENTLY
SO ARE YOU SAYING YOU'LL BE MY GIRLFRIEND?
WHY ? THAT'S A PRETTY STRANGE PROPOSAL
LET'S JUST THINK OF IT AS A TYPE OF "SHOCK TREATMENT"

SEEING HER ALL DISTRACTED BY GETTING AS MANY BOYFRIENDS AS SHE CAN ISN'T PRETTY TO ME. I DON'T LIKE IT EITHER.
I KNOW HER PERSONALITY WELL.
I CAN EASILY IMAGINE HOW SHE'S GONNA BEHAVE ONCE SHE FINDS OUT THAT WE'RE GOING OUT TOGETHER.
WITH THIS AS A START. IF SHE CAN SETTLE DOWN AND JUST STAY YOUR GIRLFRIEND.
I'LL SORT OUT THE MISUNDERSTANDING AND TAKE CARE OF THE DETAILS AFTERWARDS.
I'M SURE IT'LL WORK BECAUSE SHE'S PLAIN AND SIMPLE
WHEN THAT HAPPENS
GIVE THIS KEY CHAIN BACK TO ME.

IT SHOULD TAKE A FEW MONTHS AT THE MOST
BUT WE'RE REALLY GONNA GO OUT UNTIL THEN
SHE WOULDN'T FALL FOR SOME SLOPPY ACTING—
—DID YOU THINK THAT THERE WAS THE TINIEST POSSIBILITY
THAT I WOULD ACCEPT THIS PROPOSAL?

—THE GOOD OL HUBBY OF MYUNGHAE S THAT I KNOW?
30% CHANCE HE'D SAY OKAY 70% CHANCE HE S SAY NO
THEN?
WELL
AMA
MAYBE I M TRYING TO DATE MY FRIEND S DUDE WITH A 30% CHANCE?

TAP
HYUNJOON!
HEY~ HYUNJOON KIM~
HYUNJOON!
HYUNJOON, YOU LITTLE !!

I GET INTIMIDATED EVERYTIME I LOOK AT MY GRADMA'S COMPANY
I CAN'T BELIEVE MY OWN GRADMA'S THE PRESIDENT OF THE SANGBUM GROUP
IT STILL FEELS UNREAL
SWEETIE--!!

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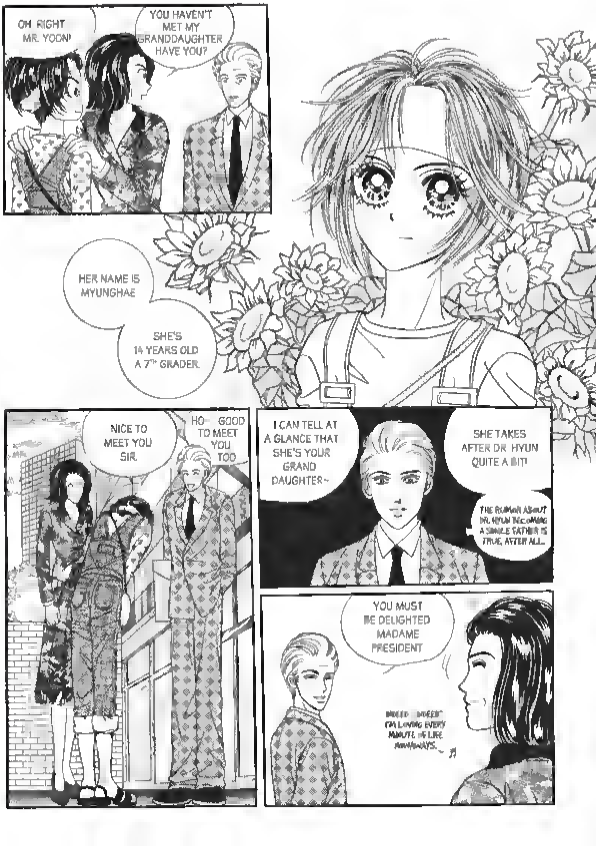
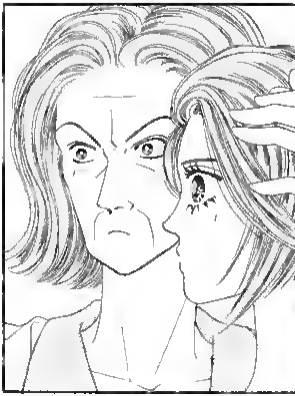
Youngran Lee
Papa

MYUNGHAE! IT REALLY IS YOU!
GRANNY~! ♡
WOW~ I'M SO RELIEVED
I WAS WORRIED I WOULDN'T GET TO MEET YOU~
TO WHAT DO I OWE THIS PLEASURE?
I MISSED YOU OF COURSE. I DIDN'T GET TO SEE YOU FOR THE PAST FEW DAYS 'CAUSE YOU'VE BEEN SO BUSY ♡
GOODNESS~ MY SWEET LITTLE PUMPKIN ♡
SMOOCH
SMOOCH


OH RIGHT MR. YOON!
YOU HAVEN'T MET MY GRANDDAUGHTER HAVE YOU?
HER NAME IS MYUNGHAE
SHE'S 14 YEARS OLD A 7TH GRADER
NICE TO MEET YOU SIR.
HOW GOOD TO MEET YOU TOO
I CAN TELL AT A GLANCE THAT SHE'S YOUR GRAND DAUGHTER~
SHE TAKES AFTER DR HYUN QUITE A BIT!
THE RUMOR ABOUT DR HYUN BECOMING A SINGLE FATHER IS TRUE, AFTER ALL...
YOU MUST BE DELIGHTED MADAME PRESIDENT
I'M LOVING EVERY MINUTE, HE LIKE ALWAYS...

NOW YOU HAVE THE SUCCESSOR YOU'VE BEEN LONGING FOR.
—IS WHAT HE SAID
ISN'T IT ONLY NATURAL THAT HE WOULD SAY THAT?
OUR LITTLE MYUNGHAE'S SMART AND DEPENDABLE. SHE'S PERFECT FOR MY SUCCE
YOUR PAPA'S AGAINST IT!



BECAUSE I INSIST MY MYUNGHAE CONTINUE TO LEAD A HAPPY LIFE!

YOU CAN'T BE HAPPY IF YOU ECOME A BUSINESS WOMAN?
IN MY OPINION, YES, IN MOST CASES.
THE BUSINESS WORLD IS FULL OF NOTHING BUT THE WEAK FALLING PREY TO THE STRONG.

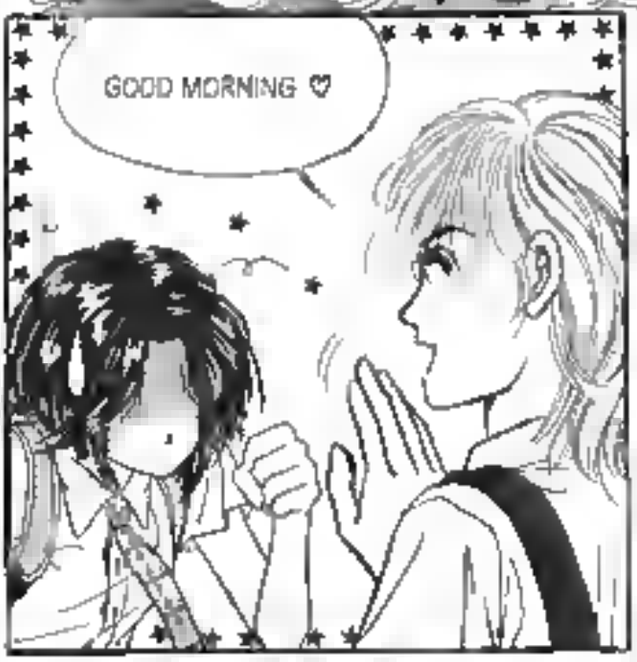
YOU HAVE TO STRUGGLE IN ENDLESS COMPETITION. YOU HAVE TO KNOCK YOUR OPPONENT DOWN IN ORDER TO SURVIVE.
YOU HAVE TO LIVE BURIED IN WORK WITH NO PRIVATE LIFE. EVERYDAY IS FILLED WITH WORRIES AND ANXIETY.
THERE ISN'T ONE PEACEFUL DAY.

IN THE END YOUR FACE JUST TURNS INTO SOMETHING LIKE YOUR GRANMA'S
Bart
WHAT— WHAT DID YOU SAY~?!
EH?
HOW DARE YOU LITTLE~!!
I JUST TOLD THE TRUTH. I AM A PLASTIC SURGICAL DISASTER ALL!
DON'T BE MAD, GRANNY~ ~~ !
DEAR ME~! I CAN'T BELIEVE I GAVE BIRTH TO THAT BASTARD AND EVEN CELEBRATED IT
WAHH

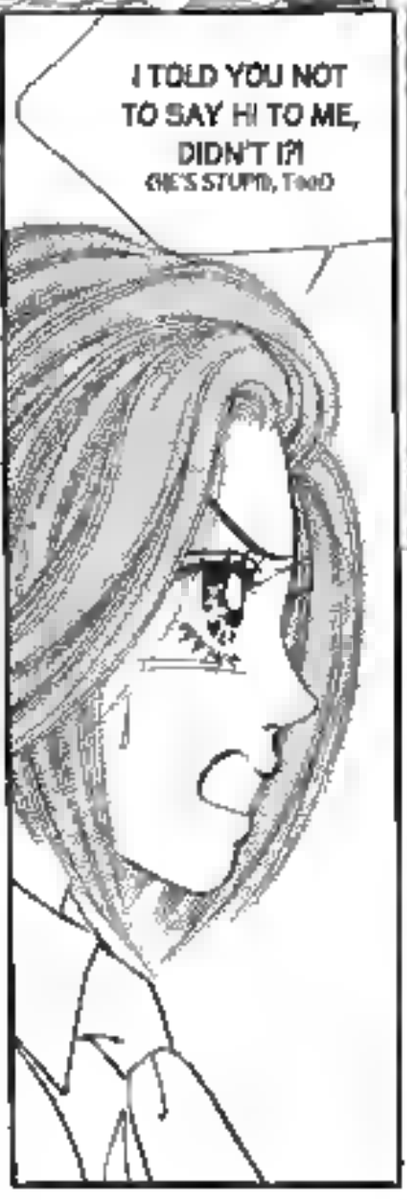
I'M LATE!
LATE! LATE!!
HUFF HUFF HUFF
HEY~♡
!!!
COULD THAT SNAKY VOICE BE...

FELLOW LATECOMER~ ♡
-OF COURSE, JUST AS I EXPECTED

I DON T WANNA GET UPSET THIS EARLY IN THE DAY
WHRL
KAPWIINNG
DIDN'T YOU HEAR ME?
KAPWIINNG
OKAY, THEN—


GOOD MORNING ♡

I FORGOT HIS BUM


I TOLD YOU NOT TO SAY HI TO ME, DIDN'T I?!
(HE'S STUPID, TOO)

HEY HEY~
HOW COULD I JUST PASS BY A FAMILIAR FACE?
I'M A POLITE LOCAL BOY ♡

YOU KNOW WHAT I'M CONSTANTLY REMINDED OF WHEN I SEE YOU?
LEONARDO DI-CAPRIO? BRAD PITT? TOM CRUISE?
YOU HAVE NOTHING TO SAY IF YOU LEAVE OUT ALL YOUR B.S RIGHT?
WELL, I GUESS THEY'RE WHITE PEOPLE.
THEN, YONGJOON IMAE? TAKESHI KANESHIRO? LESLIE CHEUNG?
DENTED BUCKET!!
UNF

POPULAR KOREAN, JAPANESE AND CHINESE FILM STARS

BWA HA HA HA
BWA HA HA HA
IT'S JUST SO FUNNY, NO MATTER HOW MANY TIMES I HEAR IT~!!
IT'S A SOURCE OF ENDORPHINS. I'M TELLING YOU~!.
PU HE HE HEH \
AH HA HA
DID YOUR MOM GIVE BIRTH TO YOU WHILE SHE WAS DRAWING WATER IN A BUCKET?
SUCKET. BUCKET— SUCH A HICKSVILLE NAME. SUCKET~
PWA
HA HA HA
I CAN'T STOP LAUGHING AT HOW FANTASTICALLY YOU AND YOUR NAME MATCH

HMPH!
HE'S PROBABLY ANNOYED NOW!! THAT'S MY REVENGE FOR BOTHERING ME AND LAUGHING AT ME ALL ALONG.
CHOK
GOOD WORK! YOU WENT THROUGH THE TROUBLE OF FINDING OUT MY NAME
I WAS INEVITABLY RIGHT IN SAYING THAT YOU WILL LIKE ME ♡
ANYWAY YOU'VE MADE REMARKABLE PROGRESS IN A SHORT TIME.

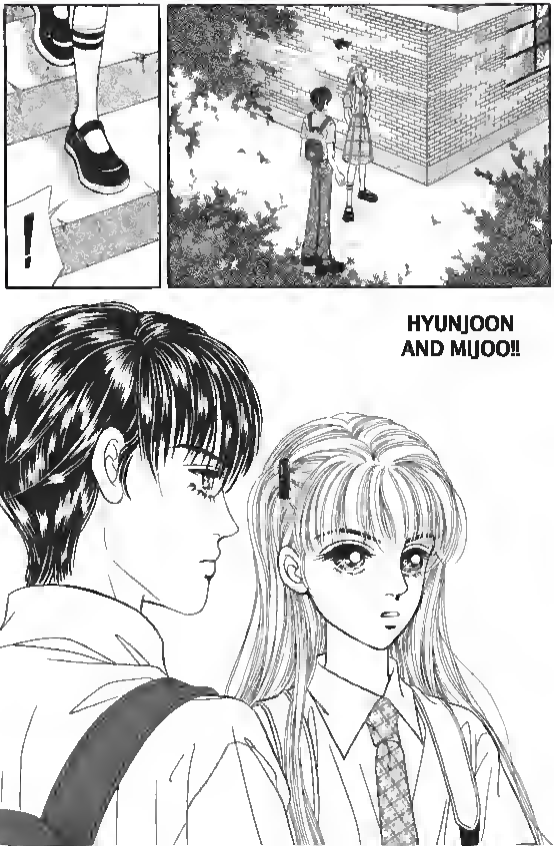
AAI-IEE
- AND YOU'RE A PUSHOVER, JUST LIKE AN EMPTY BUCKET!
OH, OUCH~!
MY HANDSOME FACE!
DEALING WITH HIM MAKES ME FEEL LIKE I'M STOOPING DOWN TO HIS LOW LEVEL!
HMPH
HOW SATLY SHE TRAMPLES ON MY EGO~
OH, MY GOD~ THE BIGGEST STAR IN ALL HAKSAN JUNIOR HIGH IS GETTING HIS EGO CRUSHED THIS EARLY IN THE MORNING.
I GUESS PEOPLE OF CHARACTER ALWAYS OPT FOR VIOLENCE RATHER THAN A CONVERSATION, HUH?!

KEHEH
IF WE WHIPPED AROUND THE CLASS 7 FRESHMEN AND GOT YOU THE DIRT FOR YOU, THEN YOU SHOULD WORK IT OUT WITH HER, DON'T YOU THINK? INSTEAD, YOU JUST LET HER BEAT YOU UP!
WHAT'S THIS UGLY SIGHT~? THE WORLD-FAMOUS SOKIT YANG CAN'T EVEN TAME ONE HUSSY
WOOSH
ENOUGH WITH THAT %$! JUST TAKE THAT TO THE CLASSROOM.
YOU THINK OUR CAPTAIN'LL GET IT BACK?
I THINK NOT. ZERO POSSIBILITY!
HOW CAN HE? HE'S NEVER GONE OUT WITH ANY GIRL HE'S ONLY GOOD AT SOCCER AND FISTFIGHTS
HOW COULD CAPTAIN'S PATHETIC SKILLS WORK ON AN EXPERT TEASE LIKE MYUNGHAE HYUN?

OH
HO
HO
HO
GOODNESS~ MYUNGHAE AND THE OTHER KIDS ARE ALL LATE THIS MORNING HUH~?
HO HO HO HO
IT'S NOT A GOOD THING TO BE LATE TO SCHOOL RIGHT~? GOTTA CUT DOWN ON SLEEP~
DON'T BE LATE FROM NOW ON~ ♡
GAHK. YOU CUTE PIE. YOU'RE A CARBON COPY OF YOUR FATHER. ♡
WHAT'S GOTTEN INTO HER THESE DAYS?
SHE SHOULD JUST BE HER NORMAL SELF.
IT'S THE AFTEREFFECTS OF MY PAPA'S VISIT
SHE EVEN CAME BY HIS CLINIC NOT TOO LONG AGO CAN YOU BELIEVE IT~? (HOME VISIT OR WHATEVER WAS HER EXCUSE.)
SHE'S MANAGING TO DRAG ATTENTION TO HERSELF IN ANY CONTEXT
NNF.

WHAT...?
HYUNJOON KIM?
1-3
SOMEONE BEAT YOU TO IT TODAY. SOME GIRL WITH LONG HAIR CAME BY AND ESCORTED HIM OUT~
THESE TWO GIRLS ARE JUST TROUBLE OVER ONE LIKE
MIDGE NAI
BAPP
IT'S ALREADY BEEN A FEW MONTHS SINCE WE ENROLLED IN JUNIOR HIGH BUT MY RELATIONSHIP WITH HYUNJOON HASN'T GONE ANYWHERE
I'M PRETTY SURE HE'S JUST GOING OUT WITH MIJOO FOR ME TO GET JEALOUS BUT HE'S BEING TOO STUBBORN~
NOW I KNOW WHAT THEY MEAN BY HIDDEN DEPTHS I CAN'T BELIEVE HE HAD THIS SIDE TO HIM
BRIGHT HONEST RIGHTEOUS
HAKSAN JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

HE CAME BY MY CLASSROOM EVERYDAY
HE WAS ALWAYS SO GOOD TO ME
HE DID EVERYTHING I WANTED FOR ME
I DIDN'T REALIZE I LOVED HIM
NOW THAT I'M IN THIS MESSY SITUATION
I TOTALLY FEEL AN EMPTY SPACE INSIDE MY HEART WHERE HE USED TO BE
I FEEL
I FEEL TERRIBLY LONELY
RIGHT~ I SHOULD HAVE A HEART TO HEART WITH HYUNJOON! APOLOGIZE FOR MY MISTAKES TOO
WHY NOT MAKE AN OATH TO NEVER FLIRT WITH ANY OTHER GUY WHILE I'M AT IT?
HUH? I'M NOT SURE IF I CAN ACTUALLY DO THAT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HYUNJOON
AND MIJOO!!
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I FEEL A LITTLE GUILTY FOR LISTENING IN ON THEM. BUT (YEAH, RIGHT IT'S YOUR SPECIALTY!)
BUT I WANT TO KNOW THE TRUTH!
SH
SH
SH
SHK
POP
HOW COME?

WELL, IT'S LONG PAST TIME WE ENDED IT
WE— DRAGGED IT OUT TOO LONG YOU KNOW?
I'LL EXPLAIN IT THOROUGHLY TO MYUNGHAE
I DION'T MEAN TO TAKE IT SO FAR...
WE CAN'T HELP IT IF SHE SAYS SHE STILL CAN'T FORGIVE US
...ACTUALLY,
I'M TIRED OF IT NOW BORED WITH IT, TOO...

AND
I FEEL A LITTLE MISERABLE ABOUT MYSELF
THE FACT IS
YOU SEE
I
AMONG MANY LIES I TOLD MYUNGHAE,
HAKSAN JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL
ONE OF THEM WAS THAT I LIKED YOU EVEN BEFORE SHE MET YOU

THAT WASN'T A LIE.

IT WAS EVER SINCE WE WERE IN 3RD GRADE
YOU DON'T EVEN KNOW
BUT YOU AND I WERE IN THE SAME CLASS BACK THEN
WELL, I WAS REALLY SHY
I'VE LIKED YOU ALL BY MYSELF SINCE THEN

WHEN WE WERE IN 4TH GRADE, MYUNGHAE AND I WERE PUT IN THE SAME CLASS.
I HELPED HER OUT IN A BIG WAY WHEN SHE MOBILIZED EVERY POSSIBLE SCHEME TO GET CLOSE TO YOU.
OH MY~ HO HO HO
FLIRTATIOUS LOOK, USED ONLY IN HITTING ON GUYS.
AKA. A "WINK" SMILE.
BACK THEN I WAS REALLY SAD EVEN AS I WAS HELPING HER OUT ALL I COULD
I FELT BAD AND GUILTY FOR FEELING THAT WAY
I WAS TOTALLY ACTING LIKE A MISERABLE OLD BAG ALL BY MYSELF
PET

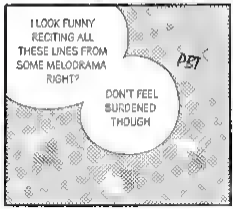
WHEN SHE WENT OUT WITH YOU CALLING YOU HER GOOD OL' HUBBY...
I'D SNEAK A LOOK FROM AFAR AND
I FELT DOWN WATCHING YOU CARE FOR HER SO MUCH
I FELT BAD WATCHING YOU LOOKING ALL DOWN
WHENEVER SHE WOULD MAKE A NEW BOYFRIEND
...FRANKLY
WHEN I PROPOSED TO YOU...
IT WAS MORE FOR
MY WANTING TO DATE YOU
I THOUGHT IT'S FINE IF IT'S FAKE LET ME HAVE IT JUST ONCE.
DO NOT ENTE

THAT'S HOW MUCH I LIKED YOU.
I'M GONNA LIKE YOU FROM NOW ON TOO ALWAYS-

THE REASON I'M ASKING YOU TO GIVE BACK MY KEY CHAIN IS...
BEFORE I GET TO HAVE MORE FEELINGS FOR YOU.
BEFORE I START... HAVING THE LEAST BIT OF HOPE...
BEFORE I DO SOMETHING TO FEEL REALLY GUILTY
I WANT TO PUT AN END TO MY PROPOSAL.

GIVING YOU MY UNREQUITED LOVE FROM A DISTANCE WAS MORE COMFORTABLE FOR ME.
I ALSO THINK THAT MAKES MORE SENSE

IT'S EMBARRASSING TO SAY EVERYTHING I'VE BEEN HIDING ALL THIS TIME. BUT I DO FEEL LIBERATED!
JUST LIKE SHE SAYS. I AM MORE BRAVE NOW


I LOOK FUNNY RECITING ALL THESE LINES FROM SOME MELODRAMA RIGHT?
DON'T FEEL BURDENED THOUGH

WHATEVER THE REASON, I REALLY ENJOYED THE TIME WE HAD TOGETHER.
THANKS
I'M OFF. THEN! BYE

WHEN WE WERE IN 3th GRADE..
I REALLY DIDN'T KNOW
I M SORRY
BUT...
BUT DO YOU THINK.

GOING OUT WITH YOU FOR AS LONG AS 6 MONTHS,
I HAVEN'T NOTICED YOUR FEELINGS FOR ME... AT ALL?